rish hunt widens as fears row that peer and wife are ostages for Price sisters

dreds of policemen and Irish ps yesterday stopped vehicles 10 miles round Clonmel, the co serary town where Lord and Donoughmore were kidis thought to have been used he abduction was found burnt

Dublin ministers were certain that the Provisional IRA were to blame. They fear the couple may be used as hostages to force the transfer of the Price sisters from Brixton prison sed on Tuesday night. A car to a Northern Ireland jail. Last night, however, no such demand had been put to the Irish Govern-

ood found at scene of attack

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y will be faced with the ing political choice of g the British authorities in Ulster or remaining and possibly allowing the

n a lane 70 miles away.

peer, who is a former rative MP, and his wife. agged into a car by three is late oo Tuesday night.

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tich witnesses say was loe, but it looks as if

group, such as Saor Eire, the Mardet nationalist organization which has connexioes in Tipper-

One of the three gumen who abducted the couple spoke with a definite Ulster action and they treated the family's trick servants hrutally they assumed Lord Donoughmore's chauffeur and the chauffeur's wife after tying them up; the IRA might have felt some dusins in doing that

local people, are generous and popular and have never engaged in Irish politics. But they live in an area which saw some of the worst atrocities of the Irish civil war 52 years ago. the Irish civil war 52 years ago. Fourthly, a plated shot was heard during the struggle in front of the family home, and hipod was found resterday on the laws and gravel forecourt. A shee, handbag, cardigan, bracelet and a pair of earrings belonging to Lady Donoughnore were found by the police and a man's warch, attached to a broken strap, was found on the lawn.

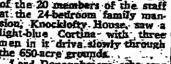
have uncovered no parient

One thing is clear. The three men had plauped their arrival at the house some hours in ad-

Secondly, did the gunmen originally intend to kidnap Lord and Lady Donoughmore. or did they panic after heing surprised by the couple during their search for guns? Thirdly, had they any poli-

tical reason for abducting mem-bers of the family? The Donoughmores, according to

Who was wounded and have they been treated for their injuries. Police inquiries at every hospital around Clonnel



At 2 pm on Tuesday several of the 20 members of the staff at the 24-bedroom family mansion, Knocklofty House, saw a light-blue Cortina with three men in it driva slowly through the 650-acre grounds.

Lord Dononghmore, who was Conservative MP for Peterborough from October, 1943 to June, 1945, and who has lived at Clonnel since 1947, has always allowed people to drive through his fields and admire his home, so do one thought it worth reporting the far to the police.

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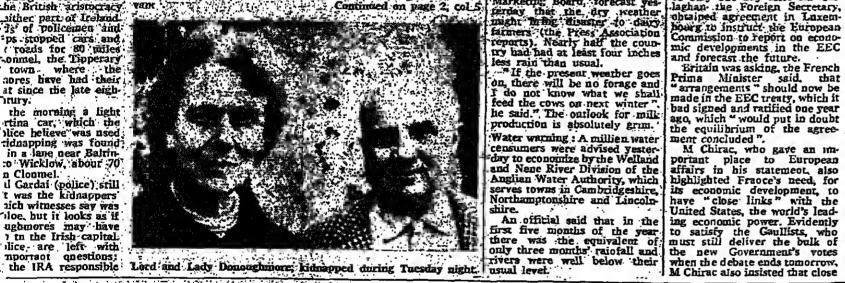
The next that was seen of the three men was at 10.55 pm when the Donoughmeres were dining our with friends. Mr Tom Phelan, the family's chauften, was with his wife, Bridget, and his son and daughter at their small home next to Knockloffy Heuse when they heard a knock at the door. at the door.

Mr. Phelan answered, and a man with a gun pushed him back into the room and hit him across the face with the weapon saying - This is a hold-up". The man wore no mask, spoke with a Northern Irish accent and was aged between 25 and 30. He

wore e black casual shirt and light-green denim trousers. Two other men followed him into the house, both wearing nylon stocking masks over their faces. All were carrying Luger

They told Mr and Mrs Phelan and their son, Joe, aged 19, to lie face down on the floor while one of the masked men ran up-stairs and ordered Mr Phelan's daughter, Patricia, aged 17, out of bed. She was led downstairs with a pissol at her head.

The men then began to men-tion guns and apparently asked Continued on page 2; col 5



Crops, milk, vegetables harmed by drought

Continued dey weather is Continued dry weather is affecting crops, grass and milk in many parts of England, with some of the Midland counties suffering most. The National Farmers' Union reported yesterday that there were failures among spring cereal crops and sugar beet, with ruined sugar beer and thin crops of grass for hay and silage in all 11 councies of its Midland region. It was believed to be the region's worst

drought for 50 years.

Drought and cold have also affected vegetable gromers, with the result that supplies of hrussels sprouts, cauliflowers, peasand have are likely to be easily and heans are likely to he smaller than usual. Other brassicas and heans are likely to he smal-ler than usual. Other brassicas and runner beans are affected in the Vale of Evesham, and the fruit crop there is suffering. The high cost of bought feed

has led to many dairy farmers relying more than usually on grass. Because of low prices, stock that might have been sold has been kept on the farm grazing. That in turn has reduced be area available for hav, and ilage for next winter's feeding. In the West, farmers have been taking good quality silace cuts, but up to two weeks later than usual and with some reduction in quantity. The outlook for hay is not good, and

vields seem certain to be heavily down.

The shortage of grass is affecting milk yields. This mouth's production is expected to he at least 24 per cent down on the corresponding period last year, and that may be accentuated as the summer goes on. But the main anxiety over milk is how to maintain a sufficient level of supplies next winter if feed costs remain high.

An NFU news bulletin said spring-sown crops were suffering badly to all parts of the Mid-

ing badly io all parts of the Mid-land region, particularly in the rain-starved eastern counties of Nottinghamshire, Leicestershire, Rutland and Northamptonshire, where they had failed to germin-ate in many cases.

"Many spring crops have already been ruined", the NFU said in Nottingham, Only sub-stantial rainfall would save the farmers from disaster. Even with a dramatic switch in the weather there will be a considerable drop in the yield of every

Dairy disaster: Sir Richard
Trehame, chairman of the Milk
Marketing Board, forecast yes
ferday that the dry weather
inight him disaster to dairy
fairners (the Press Association
reports). Nearly half the country had had at least four inches
less rain than usual.

"If the present weather goes
on, there will be no forage and
f do not know what we shall
feed the cows on next winter."

The ontlook for milk
bad signed and ratified one year
ago, which "would put in doubt Dairy "disaster : Sir Richard

production is absolutely grim. the equilibrium of the agree which ago, which would put in doubt the Government regarded the common agricultural policy, to which the European ecoeomy censumers were advised yester. M Chirac, who gave an important part of its day to economize by the Walland censumers were advised yester-day to economize by the Welland and Nene River Division of the Anglian Water Authority, which serves towns in Cambridgeshire, Northamptonshire and Lincoln-



Outsider wins Derby: A crewd of more than 250,000 gathered in hright sunshine yesterday to watch a 50-1 eutsider win the mest valuable Derby eger run (Christopher Walker writes). Bookmakers made their largest profits in recent years when Snow Knight, jointly owned by Mr and Mrs Neil

Phillips, crossed the finishing line.
Throughout the day strict security neasures were in operation as armed policemen stingled with the crowd. Mere than 300 were on duty and a helicopter kept watch overhead. Stands and public enclosures were searched for explosives.

Surrounded the unsaddling enclosure by journalists and red-faced tipsters, Mr Phillips, a Canadian rax lanyer, said: "I want to make it clear that I am a very conventional and a very happy man. This is only one of two corses that I have ever owned, and when it was hought it cest me about 55,500." He won £39,229 in prize money and in addition had a £100 each-way bet on Snow Knight at odds of 66-1. Phillips, who arrived from Moutreal on Menday, is uncertain about the juture of his borse, which at stud is now valued at more than 11m. The second norse, Imperial Prince, was alse an

outsider, at 20-1, and the third, Giacometti, was priced at 5-2. Before the race, the Queen, accom-Queen Elizabeth tha Queen Mother, Princess Alexandra and Mr Angus Ogilvy, drove oown the course waving to the crowd. Later the royal greup walked slowly to the paddock to inspect

the rungers. Gypsy caravans, which had been converging on the downs for three weeks, overflowed the official park and gypsies were involved in miner incidents with the police. the police. Derby report, page 10

French Premier says Britain's demands a threat to EEC

From Richard Wigg Paris, June 5

M Jacques Chir., the new French Prime Minister, declared flatly today that the British demands for renegociation of the terms of membership do not "appear recoordishle with the fundamental objectives of the European Community, any more than with the legitimate interests of the eight other partners".

· Presenting the new Government's programme to an uocertain National Assembly, and therefore in search of support, M Chirac took an apparently tough negotisting line. He did

portant place to European affairs in his statement, also highlighted Frace's need, for its economic development, to have "close links" with the

and friendly enoperation with the Americans could only be on the basis of "strict equality". The new Freoch Government,

he went on, regarded the con-struction of Europe with France's partners as the neces-sary condition for real pros-perity and for world power status. To renounce the con-struction of Europe would thus he to renounce what was essential for France itself.

Then M Chirac listed the main causes of the worrylog state of Europe today, passing hy way of the financial troubles obstructing monetary unioe and tee Italian and Danish trade restriction measures to Britain's renegotiation demand.

On all the essential points, the Prime Minister said, French policy would have to show the greatest firmness and he promised the Government would

M Chirac, who was Minister of Agriculture under President owed an important part of its equilibrium, as something "un-touchable".

He cooceded that he was peaking "frankly" about speaking "frankly" about Britain's renegoriation request, but added that, although it was not for France to judge this, it did not seem to Frenchmen in accordance with the British people's interests that they should separate themselves again from Europe "where they

have been received warmth and frieodship". M Chirac expressed optimism, however, about the Com-munity's future based, he said, on the determination of the peoples themselves not to let governments hinder the coustruction of that Europe whose henefits they had experieoced. He confirmed President Gis-card d'Estaing's determination to achieve European uoion by the eod of the decade and to take initiatives on essential topics like energy, regional and social policy, transport, and the

"For the Europe in crisis of today, France ought to have the vocation to bring to birth the united Europe of tomorrow". M Chirac declared amid appeause.

In a revealing passage, he remarked that relations between

states must necessarily take account of the relations of force.

"On that subject", he went oo,
"tealism is indispensable."

Gaullist hearts by saying that the first principle of French foreign policy must also be national independence. France must assure its own national security, including its nuclear deterrent force, he said. The Prime Minister,

quickly rao into spirited criticism from the Opposition benches, was not aule to an-nounce the precise anti-inflatino-ary measures that the Government promised to have ready by next Wednesday. Leading article, page 17

New attack on Concorde and Maplin projects

By Our Business News Staff The last government's commitmeet to building a third London airport at Maplin brings into question the machinery of decision-making for large projects, according to a new pamphlet published today by the Institute of Economic Affairs.

In his contribution, Professor J. B. Beath, of the Loodin Business School, points out that Maplin is eot the only long-term, Mapin is set the only long-term, large-scale project involving public funds which has turned out to be disastrously wrong. Others have been unclear energy, telephone exchange equipment and the Concorde.

The argument of all the contributors, who locked Professor of Engineering (Acoustics).

of Engineering (Acoustics), Cambridge University, and Sir Peter Masefield, a former chair-man of the British Airports Authority, is that the political process is inadequate for the schemes and that large sums of mocey may be wasted. The work of the Roskill commission is also questioned.

The pamphlet says the com-mission started with the insecure assumption that a third airport was required and therefore concentrated nn an appraisal of different sites. It should have examined the assumotion itself.

Lessons of Maplin (Institute nf Economic Affairs, 60p).

What went wrnng, page 21

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Reporter . . end of London yes-ag a search for threa after a £50,000 jewej fair. The Hyde Park i car park was cor-tearly an hour as rs carrying revolvers erv car. es after the robbery

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ther United States made of steel, glass and conunies, Tass said—
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Mr Nixon refuses to interfere with Russia

Portuguese and Frelimo

leaders hug each other

Washington June 5

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President Nixon on the eve Again, he invoked his spectre of his tour of the Middle East, of isolationism, saying it could which will be followed by the saily lead to global desolation. Whether we like it or not the came our firmly against those who advocate using detente to way nuclear arms race, a restract domestic policy changes that to constant confrontation from the Soviet Union. There are limits to what we hope for building a new structure of packers. The President managed, president in Annapoles. We avertall mention of his impeachment gear, our foreign policy ment predicament. Academy in Aniapolis. We avertall mention of cannot gear our foreign policy ment predicament. To transformation of other societies. In the nuclear age our first responsibility must be the prevention of war that could destroy all societies. Without citing any evidence, the President again said: "A new wave of isolationism remains today new of the greatest Separator Jackson

new wave of isolationism remains today nee of the greatest potential dangers facing our country. It was ironic that the very achievements claimed for his foreign policy now threaten in make us victims of our own success.

A dangerous misunderstand-Fire destroys

The main ballroom and bar at Buthu's holiday camp at Skegness caught fire as 500 holidaymakers were leaving after a "knobbly knees" con-

test yesterday afternoon. The Princes Building was gumed within half an hour, but nubody

ballroom at

Butlin camp

By a Staff Reporter.

Nobody has been heard here advocating an end to détente. But Mr Nixon's targets, though he was not specific, seemed to be Senator Henry Jacksoo and Mr. Solzhenitsyn, Dr. Sakharov and other Soviet dissidents.

rator Jackson and an orerwhelming congressional orerwhelming congressional orerwhelming congressional ing Mr Nixon's Trade Bill, with its improvement of arrangements with the Soviet Union, with a formal end to immigration. tion restrictions in communist

From Our Correspondent

Luszka, june 5
Talks, on the future of

Mozambique got under way in Lusaka today in a mood of je bilatieo with representatives

ef the Frelimo guerrillas and

the Portuguese Government bugging and back-slapping each

other.

The most dramatic mement came three hours before the talks opened when Scohor Samura Machel, the Freimo leader came face to face with

was hurt.

The fire started soon after 3 pm. The 500 people left quickly and without panic as soon as the fire alarm sounded, the camp said. The ballroom was enthe first floor, with the Beach comber bar below.

About 10,000 people were staying at the camp, which cao hold 12,000. It was the original building, which cest £300,000 whee it was about each ether—some

gic weapons systems . He went on apocalyptically: "Each confrontation has meant a brush with potential nuclear devastawith potential nuclear devastadido to all civilized nations."

Yet people took too much for granted. "Eloquent appeals are tion of other social systems? Through its foreign policy, to transform the internal as well as the international before haviour of other countries, especially the Soviet Union. The issue sharply poses the dilemman the foreign mary concern is fireign nclicy with the Soviet Union but also international conduct of nations? Would a sinw down or reversal of detente help or hur the positive evolution of other social systems? What price—in rerms of remaining pressure to hear for humane causes?

Not by our choice but by our primary capability, our primary concern is fireign nclicy and the foreign policy to all civilized nations." It affects not only our relation with the Soviet Union but also

Standing by their side was President Kaunda, who had done much to arrange the meating. He said: "To both

men I say welcome to Zambia. Please leave together as

He told the Portuguese dele-gation: "You bring with you

new message of hope that

fascism and colonialism have The three-man delegation from Portugal and the nine representatives of Frelimo were

of Guinea-Bissau.
Dr. Soares looked tired and

later left alone.

ing had arisen of "just what countries Soviet Jews particuted with results "and we have a some desired his spectre. Mr Nixon tried arguing for a cerned with results "and we have it is larly.

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ourselves some hard questions.
What is our capability to
change the domestic structure
of other nations? Would a class of other nations? Would a sinw-down or reversal of detente

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"Our foreign policy mest receive them to be noperative for tour ideals and purposes, when we seek to intervene the claimed it was more faithful to

"Photograph, page 6

Post Office computer men

The strike that has held up the issue of telephone bills is ever. The Civil and Public Services Association anoouoced yesterday that its post and telecommunications group had de-cided to call off the five-weekold strike because of an offer hy

The strike has also delayed supplies to postal engineers and. the union says, a backlog of work has omir up The association's members

return to work

the Post Office of immediate pay talks.

It is not known hew long who work at computer centres these first discussions will last, at Derby, Kensington and hut Dr Soares hepes to be back Bristol, had earlier rejected a recommendation from their resume talks there on the future union executive to go back to

The strike, over a demand for pale when he arrived in a special pay review, was said by the association to be costing the Post Office £60m a week in Atrocity described, page 6 | last revenue.

The rest of the news

Flixborough blast : First repert shows pipeline may have broken 2 Scots eil dispute: Crisis

worsens as talks drag on 2 Exeter trial: QC tells how four people were gunned dewn

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Cowley vote: Mr Alan Thernett hottom of pell fer senior shop steward Rome: Journalists strike for freedom of the press Spy scandal: Bonn politics still embittered over Brandt

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First report points to pipe break as cause of Flixborough blast

Evidence has been found of a break in a main pipelioe at the Nypro chemical plant at Flixborough, Humberside, where 28 people died in an explosico co

That was stated by the Department of Employment yes-terday in giving details of a preliminary report to the Chief Inspector of Fectories by the investigation team working at

The department says there is evideoce of a break in one of the major pipelines recently iostalled, between vessels in the plant where cyclobexane is oxidized to produce cyclohexanone. The department continued: "This plaot operates undar pressure and et bigh temperatures, and any major failure would probably result in the escapa of coosiderable quanti-ties of bighly flammable vapours. Such a sequeoce of events appears to be confirmed by the statements of those wit-

nesses so far interviewed ". The investigating team will coomine to make reports to the chief inspector and all the in-formation it gathers will be put before a public inquiry. Meanwhile, senior staff of the Fectories lospectorate are talking with the chemical iodustry and individual important firms to consider what action should be taken in the light of the inquiry's first findings.

intent to pirate' book

Mr Alec Flegon, a London publisher, yesterday asserted bis innocence of allegations that be intended to "pirate" the latest book by Alexander Solzhenitsyn. Proceedings for permanent

orders to prevent Mr Flegoo from infringiog the rights of Mr Solzbenitsyn and bis pubisiters in the book Gulag Archipelago, were adjourned for
three weeks. I am completely
innoceot and have the right to
defeod the case Mr Fiegon
said. He trades as Flegon Press
in Greek Street, Sobo.

Mr Justice Foster was told that Mr Fl. con bad prepared his own draft defeoce to the action being brought against him by the author and bis Loodon Paris

The judge indicated that if, in three weeks time, no defence bad been filed, be would coosider whether a prima facie defence had heen shown.

asked to ensure that new poten-tially dangerous developments are not allowed near housing. The question has been tabled by Mr Caerwyn Roderick. by Mr Caerwyn Roderick, Labour MP for Brecoo and

Radnor. Good safety record: Over the past three years 27 people have been killed in the chemical industry excluding the Flixbor-ough disaster, the British Chemical Industry Safety Coun-

cil disclosed yesterday. In a statement on Saturday's explosion the council, which is composed of representatives of member firms of the Chemical Industries Association, said that as far as was known thare bad been on deaths among the public near chemical works as a result of those incidents.

So far, the council said, the chemical industry had a better safety record than British in-dustry in general. The effort it devoted to safe plant design, building, operation and maintenance was already very substantial and the industry recognized the need for continued effort

and the updating of procedures to keep pace with technology. A leading article in the latest issue of the weekly engineering management journal, The Engineer, says chemical engineers and management "must swallow their pride in assuming they know best." It urges all concerned to show more respect It the Commoos oo Monday for chemical plants and tha Mr Croslend, Secretary of State people who work in them and for the Eovironmeot, will be live near by.

Publisher denies |£1.000 fine on solicitor for a 'direct lie'

John Harrison, a solicitor, was fined £1,000 at Maochester Crown Court yesterday for telling a " direct lie" to the official receiver during investigations

into a land company.

Mr Harrison, aged 44 of Brook
Lane, Alderley Edge, Cheshire,
was told by Mr Justice Griffiths: "I am quite unable to under-stand or appreciate the motive for which you told that lie, save that it was for your protection; but why you wanted protecting

but why you wanted protecting remains to me a mystery."

Mr Harrison appeared to the dock with Jackson Dudley Coward, aged S1, of Thornfield Avenue, Waterfoot, Lancasbire. He pleaded guilty to aiding and abetting Mr Coward, who admitted not making e full disclosure to the official receiver concernto the official receiver concern-ing property belonging to Stonecross Developments Ltd, a company in liquidation.
Mr Coward's case will be

beard next Monday.

Even chance of sisters ending fast, peer says

By Christopher Sweeney A new attempt to hring about an end to the hunger strike by the Price sisters was undertaked yesterday by Lord Brockway, the Labour peer. After visiting Dolours and Mariao Price in

Brixton prison, Lord Brockway twice had discussions with Mr Jenkins, Home Secretary, at the Home Office. He is going to Brixton again today apparently to pass oo in-formation from Mr Jenkins.

Speaking after his second visit to the Home Office yesterday Lord Brockway said there was ao eveo chance of the hunger strike ending. He said be now bad greater hopes that a solution could be found, although that depended on the arritude taken

by the IRA, and the sisters them-"While the Home Secretary is not publicly prepared to go beyond his statement of last Sacurday, I think that if the IRA would refrain from the bombing campaign and permit a cooling off period in the autumn, there is a reasonable hope that the girls could be returned to prison in Northern Ireland in a reason-able time". Lord Brockway said.

Jail protest ends: A sit-in demonstration yesterday by 24 prisoners at Parkhurst prison on the Isle of Wight in protest against the death in the prison oo Monday of Michael Gaughan, a member of the Provisional Sion Feio, ended peacefully last night. The men returned to their cells voluntarily (the Press Association reports).

The men went without food and water for more than 20 bours before calling off their

Mr Vernoo Bullin, the Isle of Wight coroner, has given per-mission for a pathologist to make e special post-mortem examina-tion on Mr Gaughan oo behalf of relatives of the dead man.

Concern for prisoner: Relatives of Mr Frank Stage, Mr Gaughan's fellow prisoner and hunger striker, said yesterday that they did not expect him to live beyond Saturday (a Staff Reporter writes). According to Mr Stagg's sister, doctors at Parkhurst had refused to con-tinue force-feeding because he would not cooperate.

Details of the funeral arrangements for Mr Gaughan were released yesterday. His body will be accompanied from the Isle of Wight to a Roman Catho-iic courch in north Loodon, where it will remain overnight. It will then be taken to Dublin and buried in the republican part of the cemetery at Ballina, co Mayo, in the republic.

United Unionist Coalition declares its position on future of Ulster Loyalists insist on elections before talks

the Democratic Unionists, said: "There will bave to be elections before we take part in any con-ference. We say you cannot have talks about the future unless you heve people io whom the whole population have put their confi-

"This is the way the whole thing went wrong with Mr Whitelaw [the former Secretary of State]. He talked and talked to people who had oo mandate. Mr Paisley predicted that after an election many people would no longer be Assembly members. "It is quite clear that the present Assembly does not represent the people of Northern Ireland ", he said.

GOC's view on police: Lieute-oant-Geoeral Sir Frank King, GOC io Northern Ireland, said yesterday that he did not sup-port the call to bring the troops home, but he was in favour of strengthening the police force so that the Army could eventually leave. (Stewart Tendler writes

The general has rarely spoken

A charge against five men of

coospiring to obtain firearms and explosives "to further the

purposes of the Ulster Defence

Association, or some other un-known associations" was

dropped in the High Court in

Glasgow yesterday.
One of the defendants, Mal-

colm Nicol, of Stevenson Street

Caltoo, Glasgow, pleaded guilty to having illegally possessed explosives at his home.

Another, Colio Campbell, of

Barlanark Road Glasgow, pleaded guilty to the theft of a

car and to taking part in an armed post office robbery.

The charge of conspiracy against them, and George Coll-ingwood, of Allnach Place, Glasgow; Alexander Scott, of Mookland View Crescent, Bar-

geddie, near Glasgow; and Samuel Tyrie, formerly of Bel-

Defence counsel for Mr Coll-ingwood, Mr Tyrie and Mr Scott intimated changes of plea

in regard to charges against their clients but they were not

The judge told the jury that

the case against those thres would coordinate today. They deny having seven sticks of gelignite and two detonators in

a van on the east side of Glasgow oo March 29.

fast, was dropped.

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Plot charge

at UDA trial

dropped

After a meeting of the right in public since his appointment doriog the day at Stormont Mr wing United Ulster Unionist in 1973. He mede his position l'aukner's group met under a Coalition in Belfast last night, clear in an address to police cloud of speculation that distince Rev Ian Paisley, leader of cadets at Enniskillen, co Ferintegration might be top of the managh.

Mr Rees, Secretary of Stata for Northern Ireland flew back to Belfast yesterday to find littla change in the positions of the Assembly parties in the immediate aftermath of the Ulster debate in the Rouse of

During the day the Ulster Unionist Party, led by Mr Harry West, repeated that there could be no raiks about a political settlement for Northern Ireland until an election had been held. The Social Democratic and Labour Party said it was still firmly in favour of an Irish dimension to any settlemeot.

During the afternoon Mr Rees saw Mr Faulkner and three of his party colleagues, to discuss the situation before Mr Faulkner took a three-weeks holiday. It is understood that Mr Rees said he was prepared to talk with groups representing a very wide spectrum of opinion although he did not mention the Ulster workers' council, organi-

zers of the "loyalist" strike.

Continued from page 1 -

for "the keys to the castle".

They said they wanted to get into the house and bad "certain information", a phrase that was not explained.

When Mr Phelan refused to cooperate they kicked him in the face and beat him on the back of his neck with a cun Mrs Phelan.

his neck with a gun. Mrs Phalan was hit across the back of her head with a pistol and Patricia was knocked on the head when one of the men opened the door

while that was tring.

While that was taking place
Lord and Lady Donoughmore
were driving bome from dinner.

The masked men ordered Mr Joe Phelan to take them to the house and let them in. Some of

the staff were inside and the gummen asked why a light was on in an upper window. It was a room in which the Doooughmore's grandchildren.

Jamie, aged seven, and Anne, aged five, were sleeping. They are the children of Mr Mark Hely-Hntchinson, Lord Donoughmore's second son and assistant

The Donoughmores' car then came round the front of the bouse and Mr Phelan heard a pistol shot." The man asked me what it was and I said it sounded

like a shot", be said yesterday.
"He ran around to the from:

and ordered me to go with him.

recordings

Today

Weather forecast and

menaging director of Guinness company.

by her kidnappers

integration might be top or the agenda after the resignation of Mr Nelson Elder from the party on Tuesday. But Mr Faulkner said after the two-and-a-half-bour meeting that his party was oot breaking up. All but four of the Assemblymeo arrended, in-cluding Mr Roy Bradford, the former Minister for Commonity Relations in the Executive and the subject of doubts about his future with Mr. Faulkner's

During the meeting the party agreed that it must commune and offer a united front. Members remained fearful that if the loyalists' call for an election accepted the party would face a great loss of membership. It restated its position in favour of a broader-based Executive, including loyalists, and said it remained firmly in favour of staying within the United Kingdom and called for more action against violence.

The Alliance Party prepared yasterday to push its middle line in the political arena for a coners of the "loyalist" strike. ference of all groups, including Several Assembly parties met the Ulster Workers Council and

running to their car and another

was beating Lady Donoughmore, who is 67. "He kept hitting her round the face with his open band." Mr Phelan said.

The couple were dragged to

the Cornina and driven away.
Yesterday Lord Suirdale,
Lord Donoughmore's first son.

who is e financial consultant in

Paris, returned to Knocklofty from a sailing holiday. He said

the family would consider pay-ing any ransom demand, but that if the couple were being

held as hostages for the Price sisters the matter was not of

searched the grounds of the

supervised the investigations. He is the officer who was in

ron, co Wicklow, earlier this

Hutchinson, who was born in 1902, is the seventh Earl of

John- Michael Henry Hely-

dozen policeme

Several

the Provisional IRA, to sort our Ulster's troubles. Today the party will laonch a campaign to publicize the view that the only other choice would be a unilateral declaration of indepen-

Members of SDLP travelled to London yesterday to see Mr Wilson at 10 Downing Street. Later Mr John Hume said: "If there is to be a real solution it must involve concern for both sections of the community and between North and South. There has to be an Irish dimension." The soldier shot while on a foot parrol ar Dungannon, co Tyrooe, on Toesday night, died yesterday from his head wound. He was named as Private Frederick Dicks, aged 21, of

Middlesbrough.

Men from the 3rd Eastalion. The Parachute Regiment, took part in a free fall parachute display last night over the Catholic enclave of the Ardoyne io Belfast. Four mee dropped from a Beaver aircraft on to a playeround near Flax Street to ovide entertainment for chil-

The men made their falls successfully with heither injuries nor incidents.

fire hours of talks betwee agement and shop which were adjourned la A new offer of £540 for allowance affecting me 500 of the 800 Trans General Workers' Unio strike was considered in enough by the union wants the allowance r £600. After the earlier 1

manazement went for discussions wi liation officers of the ment of Employmer stumbling block was un to be a further 6 per cer allowance, which the manded should be paid next three years. The

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The fuel crisis in

caused by the 12-day of strike at the BP refi Grangemouth continue

dispute

From Ronald Faux

Grangemouth

Union rejac ac

resume today.

Meanwhile, the effectstrike, which bas be ported by picketing Shell-Mex and BP terr Scotland, were threater chaos which industrial have been predicting.

to industry is being co-millions of pouods. In restrictions for priority receive petrol between am, pumps in central were rapidly runnir The international Sco rally, due to be held ne was cancelled yesterday of uncertainty over fuel Strike may spread : Mr I nan, branch secretary Transport and General \ Union, said after the te unless a settlement was a today the dispute migh to the rest of Britain. 1,000 teachers strike Edocational Institute land yesterday claimed throughout Scotland (or

call not to take classes day.

earlier party at Wigan Infirmary ethanol was added to the punch to give it a "kick". It had been otended to do that egain. The defendant procured the metha-nol and put it in the punch. The Crown said he did not intend to kill anybody.

The trial continues today.

Donoughmore. He was educated at Winchester and Magdalen College, Oxford, and was a colonel in the Royal Armoured Corps, serving in the petroleum warfare department during the pay militancy There was a struggle going on war. In front of the house and a lot. He is Grand Master of the of shouting. One of the masked men was ireland.

PO pay talks begin

Lady Donoughmore beaten | QC says poison in drink killed nurse From Our Correspondent

During a hospital party Barbara Barker, aged 19, a student murse, became ill after drinking punch laced with poison it was stated at Man-chester Crown Court yesterday. She was still ill the next day and was taken to bospital. She lapsed into e coma and died three weeks later.

Mr. Andrew Rankin, QC, for the prosecution said the punch contained methanol, a deadly poison, instead of ethanol, pure

alcohol.

Alan Rosbottom, aged 30, a biochemist, of Bentley Hall Farm. Walshaw, Bury, Lancashire, pleaded not guilty to the manslaughter of Miss Barker, of Logwood Avenne, Worsley Hall, Wigan. He has also demed two charges of theft from Manchester Regional Hospital Board.

Mr Rankin said that at an earlier narty at Wigan Infirmary house throughout the day and Chief Supt Anthony McMahon, head of the technical bureau (Dublin's equivalent of the forensic science laboratory) charge of the search for the 19 Old Masters taken from Sir Alfred Beir's home at Blessing-

Midwives reject

As marses in many hospitals continued to campaign for more pay the Royal College of Midwives resterday issued an appeal

wives yestering issued an appeal
to other health service negotiating bodies to join in a "innuanity before militancy" pledge.
Miss Brenda Mee, general secretary, said: "In the present
alarming situation the Royal
College of Midwives dissociates tiself entirely from any disrup-tive moves which could possibly be interpreted as using the sick, the aged, the mentally disturbed, to infloence a government pay and conditions decision."

Preliminary talks were held yesterday to prepare the way for negotiations on a claim for pay rises of about 14 per cent fur 420,000 Post Office workers.

burgh Correspondent wa The institute Scotlar gest teacher organization that more than a thousa nical teachers bad answe

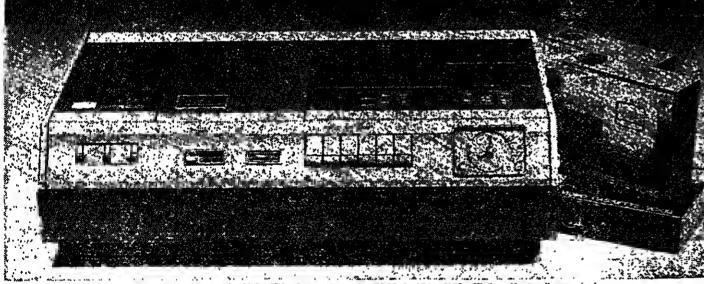
childless women urged Women should be state bounty for not children and careers have first priority, Mrs. Goldman, of Stroud, Glo shire, told 500 womeo C

A bounty for

atives at a cooference hull, Warwickshire, yes Women did not get the deserts, socially, cul-financially or legally, she Instead of devoting the years to raising familic should be occupled wi

or the erts. Mrs Goldman, who only child at the age of a career in textiles and nel work, said afterwashe would not advise v have children quite so life. Thirty was the righ She suggested e go bounty for women who had any children by the 25. "It would be one:

over population, b young anyway. They enough out of life a contribute enough m i



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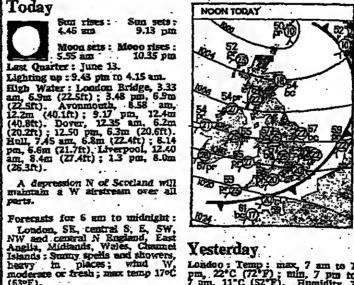


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At the resorts

Pollen count: The pollen count in London at 10 am yesterday was 34, which is low.

ession N of Scotland will a W airstream over all

Forecasts for 6 am to midnight:

Lake District, Isle of Man, NE England, Borders, Edinburgh and E and SW Scotland, Aberdeen, Glasgow, central Highlands, Moray Firth, Argyll. N Ireland: Sumy spells and showers, perhaps heavy





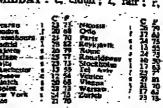
spells and showers, perhaps heavy and prolonged at times; winds W moderate or fresh; max temp 140C (570F).

Cathiness, NW Scotland, Orkney, Sheiland: Showers or longer outbreaks of rain, heavy at times; bright spells; wind W, moderate or fresh; max temp 120C (540F).

Outlook for tomorrow and Sameday: Showers at first, especially in N, but becoming mostly dry with sumry periods; temp near or below normal.

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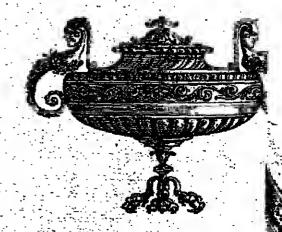


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Or your standard central locking system. (Watch as you turn that key. They'll all want to know if all the doors, the boot and petrol cap really have locked at once)



Whatever everyone chooses to talk about, though, one thing's for certain—they will talk.

And whenever people do that, you can always be sure of one other thing too:

Everyone knows you've arrived.



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shots, heard a car drive away.

Other police officers foodd Pc Smith lying heside a Ford

Granada car, hut his own police panda car was missing. The

keys to the Granada were under

The panda car was found two miles away at the Hotel Virginia in Torquay, which was occupied

Sir Peter said that wheo Mi

Feotoo stormed ioto the casino

with a gun in each hand, he said : "Where is the boss?"

Tsigarides, the club owner, with

whom he had developed a bitter feud. Mr Tsigerides ran out

through an emergeocy exit.

The defeodant had pushed

ooe of two guns into the door-mao's stomach. The doorman

Mr Papadakis weot to chal-lenge Mr Fenton, who opened fire, hitting him twice. Mr

Wehh, who was playing et one of the tables, was shot through the beart, and e secood hullet

Miss André approached Mr Fenton and said: "Stop it, Mar-tio. Doo't he silly, Don't, Martin, don't." She was shot twice and

Forty minutes efter the casino

shooting Mr Fenton, who was driving a vao, was stopped by the police after eo 11-mila chese. They pulled him from the van. They found he hed thrust a knife

into his stomach and he was taken to hospital.

The trial continues today.

that he received no payment.

Describing his work for the

association as part of a personal

crusade against injustice, Mr Reynolds said conveyancing fees

hore no relation to the amount of work, knowledge, skill or

training required.

"Too much of a solicitor's capacity is taken up with con-

veyancing with the result that

those who need representation. the less privileged and poor, cannot get it because solicitors are too busy making money from

are too busy making money from conveyanciog. Appearing with Mr Reynolds are two officers of the associetinn, David Ashford, aged 33, general manager, of London Road, Kingston, and Mrs Doris Green, membership secretary, of Wymers Close, Burnham, Buckinghamshire, Each denies four

inghamshire. Each denies four similar offences relating to the

He was referring to John

and called the police.

by Mr Fenton's wife.

fled into the casino.

pierced his chest.

Martin Charles Fenton, a Torquay husinessman, "intentioo-aily and deliherately" gunoed down four people within three-quarters of an hour, Sir Peter Rawlinson, QC, for the prosecu-tion, said at Exeter Crowo Court

He said the first to die, on Decemher 21, was Police Constable Dennis Smith, who had been following a motorist. Three hullets hit him, two fired at point-hlank range, with the gun held almost directly against his

Two were fired as he lay on the ground.
Sir Peter said that about 40 minutes after that, two meo and a girl were shot down et tha Charltoo Casino, Torquay, and a man and a woman were wouoded. Another man at the Casino survived hecause the gun did not fire when the trigger was pressed. Two different guns

Sir Peter said that after tha policeman was shot Mr Fenton went to the casino "where he was searching for e man with whom he was engaged in e fierce whom he was engaged in the find him and "deliherately and ruthlessly, and despite that curreaty which was mede to him, gunned down two of thet man's employees and shot a man " who heppened to he there.
Mr Fenton, aged 44, of Hotel

Mr Fenton, aged 44, of Indies Virginie, Torquay, is charged with murdering Pc Smith. Leoodros Papadakis, a casino manager, Miss Ano André, a croupier, and Mr Austin Wehh, an hotel keeper. Mr Justice Boreham apolo-

gized to the jury for a delay in starting the hearing. He had had to have emergeocy dental

Property conveyancing was

tigh-grade clerical work per-ormed by solicitors for exces-ively high fees to the exclusion

f more worthwhile legel duties, rancis Reynolds, eged 40, a law

ecturer, said at Worcester Mag-strates' Court yesterday. Mr Reynolds, of Hylton Road,

Vorcester, a lecturer at Birm-ngham Polytechnic, was giving vidence on the secood day of a

ase in which he and two others re being prosecuted by the Law ociety for offences alleging

Mr Reynolds, described as

onorary conveyancer to the

roperty Transfer Association of

ondon Road, Kingston upon hames, denies eight offeoces of

preparing or drawing instru-nents of transfer as an unquali-

legal conveyancing.

tapping costs man a £500 fine Sir Peter said Pc Smith hed heen seen chasing a Ford Granada car, similar to one driveo by Mr Fentoo. A man called Broomfield heard three

Graham Blackburn, a private detective who tapped a woman's telephooe and tape-recorded her conversations, was fined £500 with £250 costs at Leeds Crown Court yesterday.

Mr Brian Walsh, for the prosecution, said it was "the first prosecution of its kind for this sort of telephone-tapping in this country". There was no statu-tory offence at present, "though imagine there very soon will

Mr. Blackburn, aged 40, former detective in Leeds city police, whose address was not disclosed, pleaded guilty to effecting a public mischief by tamperiog with Post Office equipment and intercepting, tape-recording and listening to telephone calls mede by or to the occupant of a house in Newton Garth, Leeds.

He pleaded not guilty to further charges of conspiracy to effect a public mischief, conspiracy to trespass, and abstracting electricity. Mr Justice Nield directed verdicts of not guilty to be recorded.

The judge said that " whatever the legal technicalities, this offence constituted a very serious invasion of privacy". It seemed, indefensible that the citizen should he subject to this sort of intrusion.

"On the other hand, you en-joyed hefore this case an outstandingly good character and it counts with me that here you have heen frank about this."

Essex, Somerset and London.
An association leaflet pro-

duced in court gave its aim as to reduce the high cost of con-

veyancing" and claims to do the

work for members at about half the cost of e solicitor.

Read, QC, for the prosecution, Mr Reynolds was asked whether he thought £8,197 paid to Mrs Green by the association in 14

months was a good rate of re-muneration. He replied: "If that was the rate of remunera-

tion I would agree. But from that Mrs Green has to pay con-siderable expenses, including staff and office overheads." He agreed that a total of £14,642 paid in the same period to the association's three conver-

to the association's three convey-

ancing managers, including Mrs Green, was substantial.

Cross-examined by Mr Lionel

The organizations want the Bill to give local authorities power to requisition empty property similar to the power used in wartime. The 1971 cen-sus showed that 700,000 homes in Britain were empty and surveys in London areas indicate that the number in the capital has grown since then.

They also want the Bill to provide for public participation in any housing programmes it sets Conveyancing fees 'excessively high'

up, much stronger comp improvement powers, and local provide temporary accommodation for the homeless. MPa have agreed to table 20 of the amendments when the Bill

eaches the last sitting of its

Requisition of

empty homes

Sought by group
By Our Social Services

The Government was accused

although it was fundamentally e

paternalistic measure needing considerable changes. The

charge came from e coalizion of nine poverty and housing volun-tary organizatious which want 26 ameodments to the Bill.

committee stage next Tuesday, The committee will be meeting for the fifth time
The Government promised a number of radical amendments to the Bill, which have not been introduced." Miss Peta Sissons, of the Shelter Community Action Team, said yesterday.

"Because of the way it is being rushed through there is not

going to he enough time to debate the complex issues involved." The organizations want local authorities to be able to requisi-Green, was substantial.

The hearing continues today.



Science Correspondent yesterday of rushing through its Housing Bill undemocratically

Public anxiety ebout invasion of privacy from the establish-ment of large computer data banks by the Government for banks by the Government for police forces was referred to by Lord Harris, Minister of State, Home Office, at the Communications 74 Conference at Brighton

yesterday.

He said the Home Office was giving a demonstration et the conference of the use of these systems by police forces. The data available gave the man on tha beat in seconds information that would otherwise take hours or days to obtain. That was possible because the Home Office had installed the largest system of information retrieval in. Europe for police records. From an enormous central file, the policeman could obtain details about suspected criminals, stolen cara and other aspects of

The first of the information hanks became available in April for checking nn stolen cars. Lord Harris added that in 1972 more than 800,000 stolen car records were on file. He said the new systems did

little more than make available instantly the records that existed but had to he processed by time-consuming manual methods. The Government understood fears about invasion of privacy and about the introduction of Big Brother. He argued that the development did not mean the onset of such an era.

An even more urgent problem involving development of new communications systems for shipping was identified by

Colonal J. D. Parker, secretary-general of the International Committee for Maritime Radio. He said his organization had proposed a solution to the over-crowded radio networks that were causing difficulties to mer-chant shipping.

It suggested an immediate need to develop satellite com-munications for all marrime pur-muses. Traditional radio needs

poses. Traditional radio net-works were unable to cope with the needs of modern merchant

Many examples were given of tha improvement and advan-tages of providing an instant link to vessels anywhere in the world. Colonel Parker said that in the last fuel crisis the cut in turn-round time for e tanker in the Middle East would have easily offset the costs of installing the radio equipment. In e similar way, vessels on the high seas could be diverted to a new destination with e comparabla

Perhaps what was more im-portant, the latest vessels with automated engine rooms, which were unmanned for many hours, hed an interest in transmitting operation data direct to the ship-owners on shore.

He said the United States had plans to launch two satellites next year for maritime satellite services, and in 1977 another would be launched by the Euro-pean Space Research Organiza-

A meeting of member govern-ments of the United Nations would have to be held to decide how a global international service could he set up on a long term basis, using those satellites.

Man in IRA In brief

By Clive Borreli

appeal

jail plot

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A three-year prison sentence passed on a young Irishman earlier this year for his part in an alleged conspiracy to get three IRA men out of prison was quashed by the Court of Appeal vesterday.

As he left the court, Patrick oseph O'Brien, aged 19, spoke of his connexion with Kenneth Lennon, e Special Branch Informant who was found murdered in a ditch at Chipstead, Surrey, in April this year. Mr O'Brien said: "I now

realize he sought me out. He was recruiting young men to act as informants on IRA activities in Luton where I live, so that he could ingratiate himself with the Special Branch."

Mr Micheel O'Brien, aged 50, his father, said he had spent about £6,000 trying to prove his

Mr Louis Blom-Cooper, QC for Mr O'Brien, said his client and Mr Lennon appeared at Birmingham Crown Court in April ingham Crown Court in April
on two charges of alleged conspiracy to effect the escape of
times men from prisons at Birmingham and Bedford. Mr
Lennon was acquitted and discharged. Mr O'Brien was found
guilty of both charges and sent
to prison.

The fact that Mr Lennon was

The fact that Mr Lennon was a polica informer was never meotioned to the jury, counsel said. No doubt he would have altered his line of defence had he possessed that information et the trial.

Mr Blem-Cooper said that be-fore his death Mr Lennon had made a long statement to the National Council for Civil Liber-National Council for Civil Liberties in which he described how he became a Special Branch informer. Counsel added: "It is not suggested, and there is no single piece of evidence to suggest, that Mr Lennon was an agent provocateur." agent provocateur.'

The trial court was misled by the manner in which the Crown conducted its case.

Lord Widgery, the Lord Chief Justice, quashing both conviction and sentence and awarding Mr O'Brien costs out of public funds, said: "If the jury acquitted Mr Lennon, Mr. O'Brien could not be convicted unless it could be established that other persons were inthat other persons were in-volved. The evidence was not sufficient to entitle the jury to draw the inference that Mr O'Brien had agreed with others to carry out the plot to free the men if it proved practicable." He made no criticism of the prosecution for not disclosing Mr Leunon's role as an infor-

Farm pay 'les case wins his than state aid

Small farmers in Derb are earning so little that are considering applyin social security payments cials of the Derbyshire of the National Farmers' said yesterday They helieve that bundred farmers with ne

50 and 60 acres of land are ing well below £20 a against the £26 they con tain in benefits for them Johnson, the county sect said many small farmers telking of selling up.

Rabbit threat to crc The declining number

hit clearance societies bec government withdrawal of cial support is blamed f Sussex, which is threatening harvest, the county bran the National Farmers said yesterday.

Shoe boycott urged Mrs Renée Short, Labor yesterday asked girls and parents to boycott pla shoes after the coroner a inquest on Bernadette Wi aged 14, said people in tended to fall in crowd

Town inquiry promi Mr Morris. Minister of for Urban Affairs, has pror a ministerial investigation Chesterfield Borough Cou handling of a controversial centre redevelopment scher

Water lobby

South West Water Auth officials will meet all 15
Country MPs, including
Thorpe, the Liberal leade
the Commons on Monday toreinstatement of govern

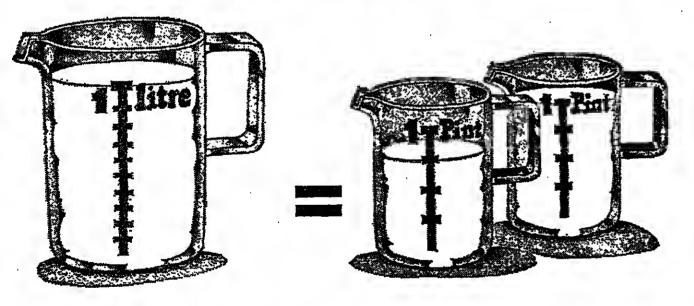
Ambulance go-slow Forty ambulancemen in answering only emergency in support of e claim for £2 week pay increase which county crews won hefore government reorganization.

Lutyens' house gift Castle Drogo, Devon, design by Sir Edward Lutyens and colleted in 1930, has been gothen National Trust by Anthony Drewe. It is the tri first twentieth-century hoos

Poisonous liquid stole Police loudspeaker vertoured the Holbeech St Martharea of Lincolnshire yesters warning children and adults the dangers of a tin of poisono crop-spraying liquid stoleo fre a farm.

Man accused of

Learning about the litre.



One litre is about 14 pints.

Virtually every country in the world is metric, or, like Britain, is changing to metric now. Under the metric system the litre is used for measuring liquids. All kinds of liquids from cooking oil to paint. It is pronounced leeter. When you buy a litre you get a

little more than 13 pints. When you buy half a litre, you get slightly less than a pint. You can also buy quarter litres. In the chemist's shop, sham-

poos, disinfectants and many cosmetics are sold in millilitres. There are 1000 millilitres in a litre.

At your grocer, cooking oils are sold by the litre.

Wine, cider, soft drinks and carmed beers are increasingly being sold in litres and millilitres. Where to get more information.

More information is available from your local Trading Standards Officer or Consumer Protection Officer (Inspector of Weights and Measures), from your Citizens' Advice Bureau or your local Women's Institute or Rural Community Council.



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The Metrication Board

Howell warning about emphasis on conservation By John Young

Mr Howell, Minister of State (Sport) at the Department of the Environment, yesterday urged those concerned with environmental protection not to place excessive emphasis on the conservation of beauty spots and historic buildings. and historic buildings.

and historic buildings.

"Although we often talk about the need to maintain that heritage of our country, we must never forget that hundreds of thousands of our citizens live in circumstances where the environment means their immediate neighbour. their immediate neighbour-hood", he said. Probably the greatest need today was to im-prove the quality of life in cities and coourbations.

cities and coourbations.

He hoped that the environmental lobby would continue to grow, although its demands often embarrassed the Government. In the present financial climate our resources were nothing like enough to satisfy those demands, but he was not asking the environmentalists to

asking the environmentalists to quell their voices.

Mr Howell was speaking at the opening of an exhibition at the Commonwealth Institute in Londoo to mark World Environment Day. Although he said it was not intended to be an occasion for self-congratulation, the exhibition, which continues until Juna 16, is essentially a record of achievement rather than an attack on the accumulating difficulties of pollution and dereliction.

Saxon flask sold for £2,100 at Christie's By Geraldine Norman

Sale Room Correspondent

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Christie's sale of arms and armour yesterday showed no slackening in the price boom. The top price was £2,100 (H. Ricketts) for a Saxon priming flask elaborately initial with spirals of horn and in fine condition. It came originally from the Saxon Royal Armouries in Dresden and was sold at Sotheby's in 1970 for £1,300. Yesterday's sale also contained an early seventeenth-century Saxon musketeer's powder flask, leather frog and cartridge box, again from the Saxon Royal Armouries and in good condition, at £1,260 (Haynes).

A German close belinet of about

Haynes).

A German close belinet of about 1500-1510 with a finned one-place visor of the "monkey-face" type made £1,680 (Fogan). Only three helmets of the kind are recorded; with the back plates missing, it is not in particularly good condition. It also passed through Sotheby's recently but, catalogued as a reproduction, made only a few hundred pounds. The sale totalled £42,513. Christie's also held a silver sale

Joint action plea to social and housing workers

Edinburgh
Human difficulties of an intense and sometimes appalling scale to which neither government nor local authorities had yet found solutions lay in the area of overlap between the housing and social work services, it is stated in an interim report by the Morris committee published by the Scottish Development Department yesterday.

day.

The report proposed e joint approach by regional social work anthorities and district housing authorities to deal with the situation. The committee was appointed last year to look at the relationship hetween the two departments in Scottish local government.

local government.

The committee pointed to indications of suspicion and distrust hetween elected members and hetween officials in tha housing and social work fields. That was double-edged; there That was double-edged; there was a view that mistakes in tha past by housing authorities had given rise in large measure to the difficulties the social work authorities hed to deal with, and a sense of disenchantment was felt by the housing authorities with tha degree of support

and assistance they had been receiving from social work Attitudes of this sort must be broken down if those in-

volved in providing housing and social work services are to work together to further the interests of the people they serve", the report says. The worst problems were to be found on council housing estates that lacked amenities

and adequate services, had large numbers of unlet and unlettable houses, poor social mix, apathy and vandalism and contained many unemployed "We are convinced that a basis for cooperation hetween district and regional authorities on matters of joint concern to the housing and social work services must lie in formal administrative structures", the report says. It proposes a liai-son system of joint coordinat-ing committees drawn from tha new reginnal and district authorities and teams of officials from the two levels of authorities. The report has been submitted to Mr Ross, Secretary of State for Scotland.

Housing and Social Work: A joint approach (Stationery Office, Edinburgh, 19p).

murder faces a new charge Sean O'Connaill, aged 40,

of three men appearing or mand accused of murde Lieutenant-Colonel John C bell Stevenson, commandar Otterhurn army training c faced another charge at Hes. Magistrates' Court, Northus land, yesterday. Mr. O'Connaill, an

porter, of Sulgrave Road, V ington, county Durham, w charged with murdering Co. Stevenson, aged 53, at his l in Otterburn, and attempti murder two police officers additionally charged with son a letter threatening to or murder him. He did not to the charge.

Also accused of murd Colonel Stevenson are Ray Robert Douglas Charles St Kane, aged 34, an hotel p of Stapleton Road, Bristol of Stapleton Road, Bristol
Barry Reid, aged 25, an am
tion worker, of Brierley Gar
Otterburn, who were rema
in custody with Mr. O'Cos
until June 13, when com
proceedings will take plac
Reporting restrictions
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One novelty of this style contest is the Red I secret weapon: stronger muscles. In much style ju the body is curled into a pact, foermalike posture

pact, toesus-like posture air pressure and cent force try to destroy. The Freds team has decide strong thighs overcome for some weeks they have wearing 10lb bags of sa shot around their ankles.

This is not spectator sp the usual kind. By lying! the grass, with the aid of culars and luck, it is possi

see the boys and girls P

on the style.

But the judges have no plaints. A truly expert former will descend 6,000ft to 2,000ft before beginning his series and end it with a white-gloval true of desicion results.

Record 47,000 Red Devils wore 10lb ank apply for the Weights for free-fall day From Tony Geraghty Weston on the Green, of the Red Devils team, retire unhesitati Open University

Correspoodent

Correspondent
A record number of 47,000 people have applied for courses at the Open University for the first time in 1975. A far larger proportion of them than ever before have no educational qualifications and the proportion of teachers has dropped.

The period for applications closes on July 3: But the number so far is 12,000 more than when applications closed for this year's courses. There are places et the university for only between 12,000 and 15,000 of the applicants. The total student roll will be about 45,000.

Nearly 14 per cent of this

Nearly 14 per cent of this year's applicants have no educa-

tional qualifications, compared with 9.3 per cent last year. In all, 40.3 per cent do not meat conventional university entry requirements, compared with 32.6 per cent last year. The proportion with teaching qualifications has dropped from 27.4 per cent to 21.6 per cent. University dropouts. More than 5 per cent of Edinburgh University's undergraduates left without a degree during 1972-73. About 450 out of 8,336 andergraduates left without qualifying. Most dropouts occurred in September, when 283 failed to start the session. The university's monthly bulletional qualifications, compared Christie's also held a silver sale totalling £22,676, with e top price of £580 (Fowler) for a George I plaio octagonal coffee pot of 1716, weighing 2102.

A sale of Old Master paintings at Sotheby's made £46,400 with e large "Triumph of Bacchus" catalogued as French school, circa 1700, fetching £2,000 (Riolfo).

Weston on the Green,
Oxfordshire
Five judges in a parachute
style competition, an elaborare
series of free-fall manoeuvres
which are being performed between 6,000ft and 2,000ft high,
600 yards distant, stand like
sentries in a semicircle round
the instruments of their grade. the instruments of their trade: stopwatches and tripod-mounted hinoculars originally

mounted hinoculars originally taken as war booty from Hitler's Atlantic Wall.

Rach judge has a human recorder, a seated amanuensis, who jots down the judge's verdict as he watches the latest competitor in the tenth British Parachute Competition. Parachute Competition:

Parachute Competition:
As the parachutist floats from the aircraft into the high, lazy have of a June afternoon, the judge dictates: "Out!"
Some 15 seconds later, during which time the competitor has moved to maximum dropping speed of about 120 mph, the style series begins.

"Left turn, OK", the judge says.

The recorder places a tick in the relevant column of his re-Right turn, OK." Another

"Back loop. No, he's 'zapped' it. He's way off. He's pulled." The contest is one in which each performer makes five jumps in one exhausting day, after which several of them, including at least one member

tare of derision mound judges who have no dif-in recognizing its signif-They are a tolerant rate a Doints are deducted.

The result of this competition, after an overalculation of placings style evant, was announced terday afternoon. John cock, veteran of 3,000 R who runs his own Peterbo parachute centre, was in place, followed by Private Milne (Red Devils) with



Britain in the Metric World.

WEST EUROPE

Geoeral and Municipal rs' Union, the most con-union supporter of British to the European Econommunity, yesterday pro-a a two-year time limit on priod of renegotiation of ms of membership.

ress, or a commitment to Two make continued mem-of the EEC on the the basis a viable proposihe union's policy-making ance decided at Blackpool. le maintaining an unflinpro-Europe posture, the is clearly not impressed le way the EEC is develop-lowever, in a thoughtful word review of the situahich was adopted by a big-ty, the GMWU leadership that on balance the pre-ructure of the EEC could ipted ro meer the union's erm political and economic

> odocing the report, Mr Gladwin southern al secretary, said: odocing the report, Mr Gladwin southern Meanwhile the union wants the TUC to reverse its policy of ing bas bappened yet demands a complete with emission of the British trade union movement in the European institutions.

Community. Having said that, there are of course very serious problems facing us. The agricultural policy of the Common Market is inappropriate and inefficient and clearly needs

"The current price of our membership is too high and the system of financing the Community must be changed; because if it is not, the strain on our economy could be too great for us to bear.

"That is wby we support the Government's efforts to nego-iate concessions that will enable Britain to pley her full part with-in an integrated European Com-ments."

The document put to the conference said: "It is nor a questinn of scrapping the treaty of accession, withdrawing from the Community and then attempting to negotiate a new settlement.—It is a question of exerting the political leverage of the United Kingdom within the EEC to achieve—more acceptable to achieve more acceptable

orkers at Cowley reject otskyist Mr Thornett

kers ar British Leyland's Morris car assembly at Cowley, voting in a ballot for the first rime, ejected Mr Alan Thornett mber of the Trouskyist ers' Revolutionary Party, ir senior shop steward. Thornett was accused by acagement of stirring up

rial nnrest in the plant the withdrawal of his itials as deputy senior steward and steward for ansport drivers caused an unofficial strike by 150 s, which made 12.500 men

secret ballot, beld in the y, was the result of an al inquiry by the Trans-and General Workers' It cleared Mr Thornett management's accusa-but criticized Mr Bob senior shop steward. In ting results, declared yes-, Mr Thornett and Mr were besten by Mr Reg is, a former left-winger describes himself as a

voting was : Mr Parsons,

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preface the report, pubtoday sums up the com-'s advice: "In the words

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to vote, but some could not do so because they could not produce their union cards. Before the poll, senior and deputy senior shop stewards were elected by vote of the stewards. The shop-floor workers took no direct part.

British Leyland told the union yesterday that it would accept Mr Thornett as steward of the transport drivers.

The letter saying that reached umon headquarters just before the executive committee was to decide on a call for an official strike at the plant in support of Mr. Thornett, Mr Moss Evans, national secretary, said he bad been ready to recommend an official stoppage, but was pleased that the dispute bad been avoided by Leyland's decision.

The apparent climb-down by British Leyland is an effort to improve relations in the plant, which has the worst dispute record of any factory in the

The management's letter to the union said : "If Mr Thornett now abuses the facilities which he has been afforded as shop 'about 60 per cent); Mr. steward in his section, cowney.

- 824 (26 per cent); Mr. management will have no alterest, 407 (13 per cent) and; native but to take the appropriate disciplinary action.

Wigg threat to Labour if EEC line is changed

By a Staff Reporter.

Lord Wigg gave a warning yesterday that he would "use every onuce of authority he had to work for the defeat of the Labour Government if it went back on its pledge to consult the British people about membership of the EEC.

The former Labour minister was speaking at a meeting in London called by the Get Britain Out. Campaign to announce

London called by the Get Britain
Out Campaign, to announce
details of its summer campaign,
which will include public
speeches by Mr. Enoch Powell
and Mr Jack Jones, general secretary of the Transport and
General Workers' Union.
Lord Wigg did not feel he was
compromising his position by
sharing a platform with the former Conservative MP, for Wol-

mer Conservative MP for Wol-

wentampton. South-west. It would share the platform with the devil himself on this issue and I know that Jack Jones feels the same. I want my grandchildren to be free men.

"By the end of this year we shall be faced with the necessity of harmonizing various politics with the EEC, and slowly, little by little, MPs will find that the answer to questions in the Commons will be 'we cannot discuss that 'as the decision will already have been taken over our heads."

The Treaty of Rome was like the incoming tide and the change from fresh water to salt might be imperceptible until it was too late.

Mr Christopher Frere-Smith, the campaign chairman, who claimed that the movement bad 7,000 active workers, said some Labour MPs would consider leaving the party if British membership of the EEC continued.

Housewives to sue over night electricity

The National Housewives' Association, which claims 20,000 members, is planning to sue the Electricity Council under the Trade Descriptions Act, after the board's decision to raise night electricity charges by 70 per cent. The association bas consulted solicitors about the action.

Mrs Betty Stevens, chairman of the south east area, said: "We or the south-east area, said: We have had over 3,000 letters about this and they are still coming in every day. People say they have been conned by the Electricity Council telling them they would have cheap electricity by using higher storage beaters. In fact, the

inight storage beaters. In fact, the cost is going up 70 per cent and that isn't cheap or half-price electricity.

"Many people invested in these heaters only to find that they will not be able to use them. So many elderly people say they are just ornaments."

Red roses for the D-Day dead

From Michael Horsuell Bayeux, Normandy, June S

A wreath of red roses and car-oations was cast into the Chan-nel at dawn today, two miles off Arromanches, from the stern of the French steamer Villandry, and the many lives lost in the D-Day landing 30 years ago were commemorated.

Then the tiny party of pil-grims who had come to remem-ber returned to the sbip's cafe-teria for the raffle draw, the piped music of Sid Lawrence playing Glenn Miller and the ex-

playing Glein Miller and the ex-hortations of General Eisen-hower to be of stout beart.

This particular "Longest Day", organized by L'Alliance Française, will not be the most formal of the many D-Day cele-brations playing for this week. But then seven hours at sea fol-lowed by a smelling tour of the lowed by a gruelling tour of the beaches and bars demands an unmilitary response.

Captain Gilbert Heuze, a former French Resistance fighter, who is both master of the Villandry and president of the Dieppe Committee of L'Alliance Française, had hoped for 800 D-Day veterans and their wives. Instead he got 250, partly because a hige party of Americans opted

out because of the exchange rate. One of those who did come remembered a terrified 18-yearold private who was forced sud-denly to relieve himself in a cherry orchard and died when be accidentally triggered a grenade while dropping his trousers.

That memory will be fresher in the mind this rime next year than roday's visit. So too the memory of friends who began to drown the moment they stepped from the landing craft with 70lb packs on their backs.

The French remember too. British American and particu-larly Canadian flags flutter in the morning breeze from build-ings old and new. In tiny villages anti-tank guns stand, lovingly painted and preserved.

The coach driver taking us to the Bayeux War Cemetery for the British Commoowealth noticed some passeogers missing, "We like our Eoglish cousins and we don't want to lose them", he said. He really

The seotimental journey of the Villandry is only one of a multitude, official and unofficial, being undertaken by the men who landed on the beaches and their successors in the armed

forces. The frigate Undaunted and the mine hunter Ashton are visiting Arramanches and Caen in support of the celebrations, and there are two Army comin-

A company of 2nd Battalion, The Royal Regiment of Fusiliers, together with the battalion's band and drums arrived at Le Havre yesterday. On the same ship were 100 personnel of The Parachule Regiment, bound for the anoual Sixth Airborne Division pilgrimage to Ranville. General Sir Richard Gale, war-time commander of the division, and General Sir Roland Gibbs, GOC-in-C Upited Kingdom Land Forces, are attending the cere-

Wheo we got to the Bayeux War Cemetery, Mrs Elsie May Smith, from Peterborough, laid a wreath on the grave of her husband James, as she had done nioe times before. He died on June 18, 1944, at the bands of a

She smiled at her second husband Arthur and said: "It's my tribute, and it's always the same. The only thing you notice is that the trees to the cemetery grow a little more each year."

The Christian Democrats' ob-

jections to Herr Wehner go back to remarks be made last month

when he accused rbe Opposition nf disseminating false rumours about the espionage affair and conducting a "cold coup d'etat"

strike for freedom of the press

Journalists

From Patricia Clough
Rome, June 5
Italian journalists and printers staged a 24-hour strike today in protest against alk-ged attempts by leading politicians and economists to stifle the

freedom of the press.
Tomorrow's "Day of Silence" during which no newspapers, except possibly neo-fas-cist ones, will appear on the news-stands, is also intended to draw attentioo to journalists' demands for greater control over the policies of their news-

papers.

The journalists want to be consulted on the appointment of editors or deputy editors, and to be informed of any changes in a paper's ownership The Italian Journalists' Fed-eranoo was alarmed recently by the purchase, or part pur-chase, of newspapers by the Moniedison chemical concern on behalf, it is said, of leading members of the Christian Dem-

members of the Constian Democrat Party.

They have also been disturbed by reports of economic and political pressure being brought to bear, on leading industrialists who own newspapers or periodicals, to per-suade them to change their policy.

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ubts on claims | Setback to reforms for **British**

the spring.

Legal Correspondent

Planned reforms in the legal education of people wishing to become lawyers have received a serious setback with the decision by the Law Society not to go ahead with key training courses for prospective solicitors. The whole future of legal advication is now at stake.

By Marcel Berlins ...

The reforms, originally recommended by the Ormrod committee in 1971, included abolition of the system of baving to serve articles in a solicitor's office and its replecement by a law degree, or equivalent, followed by e year long vocational training course.

The Law Society has for the

past two years planned for the first of the vocational courses to start in 1975, and arrangements were far advanced towards that aim. Now, however, it has decided to abandon the plans because of criticism by solicitors.

because of criticism by solicitors solicitors profession does not throughout the country.

A consultative document set. Ormrod report was supposed to ting out the Lew Society's proposals was sent to all solicitors at the beginning of the year. Their response, described by a other educational establish-disappointed Law Society offiments. Clearly that will no cial as extremely conservative, longer be possible. aul. let your moderation wn to all men." d Coronary Heart Disease lery Office, 50p).

member is well below the mini-mum ", the document says.

Constituency parties are told to the document, Reorganiza-

tion of party structure, that it is still easy to recruit members

but that in many constituencies it is difficult to collect subscriptions. "It is claimed that the drup in membership is due almost entirely to the procedures for enrolment and the maintenance of membership."

The executive says there must be a new attitude to membership.

de for education of lawyers showed that they were not ready to accept the new system.

While many of the solicitors and local law societies were pre-

pared to accept some form of vocational training, there was, according to a statement by the Law Society's Council, strong support within the profession for the retention of articles.

"There is general opposition to the idea of a student having successfully completed a voca-tional course without probably having been in a solicitor's office ", it said. The council is attempting to

find some compromise that would retain articles to some extent and involve a vocational course, although not as long as

But there is little doubt that But there is little doubt that this new setback means the virtual death of the already severely ailing Ormrod recommendations. The rejection by the solicitors' profession does not directly affect the Bar. But the Ormrod report was supposed to be implemented as an integrated whole by both branches of the profession, the universities and

simplified. The membership fea should be one that could reasonably be collected in one visit, which would assist recruit-

ment at factories as well as elsewhere.

Such a change must be linked to planned recruitment, the executive says, and it proposes that there should be an annual

national membership drive sup-

ported by an advertising cam-

paign.
The document bas been sent

subsidies to

pig farmers From David Cross

Luxemhourg, June 5 Britain's pig farmers are to continue to receive the special production subsidies they have been getting in the past few weeks, for the time being at

This is because the Enropean Community's agriculture ministers have failed to agree on alternative support arrangements to replace the system of Government grants approved by the Community in

the spring.

At a meeting of the ministers in Luxembourg, Mr Fred Peart, the British representative, called on his partners to continue to allow his Government to make special payments amounting to 2.5p a lb to British pig farmers. These subsidies were due to be cut progressively from the beginning of June. ning of June.

In support of bis case, Mr
Peart argued that the slaughter
of sows in Britain had gone up
by some 40 per cent in recent
weeks, as panic selliog gripped
the farmiog population. The
existing system of subsidies must
be maintained at its present level
uotil the situation had improved.
During their meeting: which

During their meeting; which ended late last night bere, the ministers also approved additional measures to help clear the Community's heef mountain, which now stands at some 90,000

In a decision which could have considerable political repercus-sions, the ministers agreed to earmark some 17,000 tons of frozen beef surpluses for sale

Reprieve for | Bonn politics embittered by espionage scandal number of present and pass Cabinet members.

From Dan van der Vat

The spy scandal which prompted Herr Brandt to resign scandal which as Chaocellor e month ago con-tinues to poison the political

tinues to poison the political atmosphere in Boon.

Professor Karl Carstens, leader of the Opposition, told the Bundestag today that his party would boycott the committee on security matters uotil Herr Herbert Wehner, parliamentary leader of the ruling Social Democrats (SPD) ceases to be its chairman at the end of this month.

He also gave notice that the Christian Democrats would demand a parliamentary inquiry ioto the spy scandal, caused by the discovery that Herr Gunter Guillaume, Herr Brandt's personal assistant for party matters, was in the pay of the East

third of the Bundestag is needed for such an investigation to be

Germans.
Since the support of only a

Today he refused to withdraw the allegation, explaining that the curlous term "cold coup d'etar bad the same relationship wirb a real coup d'etat as cold war had with war.

In a husy political day, the Bundestag overruled the Bundestat (Upper House) on the controversial issue of abortion. A Bill providing for abortion on demand within the first three months of pregnancy was thrown out last month by the Upper

House, where the Opposition bas a majority of one. For the Bill to become law it bad to be submitted once more instituted, an all-party committee can be expected to be formed in a few days.

Opposition members of the inquiry. I understand, will ask that evidence be taken from a page to be submitted once more to the Bundestag and be passed by an absolute majority of the total membership, a minimum of 249 votes. Today the Bill was supported by 260 deputies, with 213 egainst and four abstentions.

Germans to build spacelab

Paris, June 5.—The European Space Research Organization (ESRO) today awarded a \$200m (about £80m) contract to the VFW-Fokker Erro company, of West Germany, for the construction of an earth orhiting laboratory that will carry Europe's first spacemen.

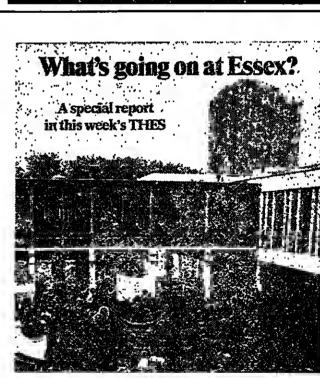
first spacemen.
VFW-Fokker Erno was in competition with another West German company, Messerschmitt-Bolkow-Blohm, for work as prime contractor for the pro-ject which will be launched by a United States space shuttle ebout 1980.

The decision was taken after

six weeks of evaluation of the twn projects by FSBO officials. The meeting was held under the chairmanship of Dr Alexander Hocker, a West German, the ESRO director-general.

The space lahoratory project is the most important cooperative progremme between ESRO and the United States space agency. Under the programme, European and American scientists will work logether while to orbit. while to orbit.

The project will scientists to travel and work in orbit without intensive astronaut training.-Reuter.



The critics of university expansion have Essex in their sights again.

Are the university's achievements being overlooked? What do the students want? Are they rebels without a cause? Is there too much emphasis on the social sciences?

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The executive says there must. The document bas been sent on is £1.20 and "in far be a new attitude to member to constituency parties for comtany constituencies the ship contribution but any new ment, and will be debated at a mount collected per procedure would need to be the party's annual conference.

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the concentration of terol one of the risk facterol one of the risk fac-with hypertension and the smoking, would be re-the report says. sumption of sugar, in both and drinks, should be re-if only to diminish the i obesity. Any proposals fremiog water should be ered in the light of the edge that the barder, the the lower the death rate ardiovascular disease-preface the report, pub-

Israel-Syrian disengagement goes | Watergate's into effect today after detailed plan is signed in Geneva

From Our Correspondent Geneva, June 5 The first disengagement move-ments of Israel and Syrian forces on the Golan Heights start tomorrow under the detailed plan signed at the Palais des

Nations bere today by senior officers of the two armies. The operation is to be completed within 20 days. Tomorrow morning aircraft of the International Committee of the Red Cross hegin repatriating

prisooers of war, 382 Arabs being exchanged for 56 Israelis. Signiog of the documents and maps, io the council chamber at the Palais, went with military precision, according to officials. It was in camera, as ware the daily meenings that had been in progress here since last Friday

when the disengagement agree-ment itself, as negotiated under the auspices of Dr Kissinger, the American Secretary of State, was signed. The plan was signed by General Herzl Sbaffer of Israel, Geoeral Adnan Wahid Tayara of Syria, and, as witness, the chairman, General Ensio Siilasvuo, Commander of the Hoized commander of the United Nations emergency force and chairman as well at the Egyp-

tian-Israel disengagement talks beld last January near Suez.

There was, io addition, a statement by Geoeral Sülasvuo devoted to other matters and signed by bim alooe. Its contents were not revealed.

Indianapolis, June 5.—Miss Marjoria Wallace, the deposed Miss World, has been admitted

to an intensive care unit. A doctor said she was critically ill

from barbiturate effects, but the Methodist Hospital bere refused

to coolir dospital bere refused to coolir or deny reports that she had taken a drug overdose, saying only that she was uoder treatment for a kidoey ailment. However, her mother, Mrs Alice Wallace, confirmed that her daughter had taken an overdose of sleening wills.

dose of sleeping pills.
She said: "Lly mother's intu-

She said: "Ily mother's intuition will not allow me to believe that the overdose was intentional."

During her 100 days as Miss World, the 20-year-old blonde bad her name linked romantically with singer Tom Jones, the late American millionaire racing driver Peter Exercipe and George driver Peter Exercipe and George

driver Peter Revson and Georga

Best, the Northern Ireland foot-

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The formalities completed, he October back through Quneitra declared the proceedings open was reported. and the media were admitted for his concluding remarks, in which ha expressed confidence that diseogagement would be implemented without complications. Ha congratulated tha Israal and Syrian representatives for their cooperation and understanding during tha talks.

during tha talks.

"I am sure I discern a sign, bowever feeble, of a desirable change of attitude", be added.
"Prevailing in all our discussions was a readioess to find full areas of accommodation to meet the legitimate ioterests of both sides."

He said the "presence and participation" of the American participation of the American and Russiao representatives, Mr Ellsworth Bunker and Mr Vladi-mir Vinogradov, agaio had underliced the determination of their supermination of their governments, as co-spon-sors of the Geneva peace con-ference, to cooparate in building a new structure of peace in the

Eric Marsden writea from Jerusalem : Although the Israel-Syria disengagement agreement is out due to come into effect officially until the completion of the exchange of prisoners between the two countries to-morrow, preliminary moves were made by Israel's forces on the Golan Heights today. primary From Our Own Correspondent

Observers said the Army observers said the Almy engineers were destroying fortifications and bunkers of the Syrian Army which had not been used by Israel's troops during the occupation. Burnt out Syrian tanks, personnel carriers and lorries were moved away. Israel's front line units were

Israel's front inne units were still on alert.

Inside the United Nations buffer zone more troops of tha Austrian and Peruvian contingents arrived to establish the United Nations presence between the Israel and Syrian armies.

Dr. Kurt Waldheim the Dr Kurt Waldheim, the

United Nations Secretary-General, spent the day in Jerusalam in talks with Govern-ment leaders. He was met at the airport by the new Foreign Minister, Mr Yigal Allon, who said he boped the disengage-ment with Syria would lead to

further agreements.
Dr Waldheim, who yesterday visited Quaeitra and inspected the United Nations zone, described the disengagement agree-ment as a very important step forward for the Middle East. The Jewish Agency has con-firmed that four new agricul-tural settlements and an urban morrow, preliminary moves were made hy Israel's forces on the Golan Heights. An official said in Tel Aviv that the plans bad bean approved by the Government. The town would probably from the enclave occupied last

influence in California

New York, June 5

The Californian voters have the Camorolan voters have chosen the two men who will compete for elaction as state governor this autumn in succession to Mr Rooald Reagan. The sion to Mr Rocald Reagan. The Democrat will be Mr Edmund Brown, a liberal and son of a former governor. The Republican will be Mr Houston Flournoy, a moderate who supported Mr Nelson Rockefeller for the presidency in 1964.

It was a primary which was very much influenced by Watergate. "Proposition Nine", a far-raaching set of proposals for reforming the state's laws on reforming the state's laws on campaign spendiog, was over-whelmingly approved in a separate vote, and will go into effect next Jaouary 1, provided there is no court challenge.

The proposals were presented as a way of preventing tha abuses which bave come to

abuses which bave come to light since Watergate, and their supporters now bope that similar action will be taken in other states. Mr Jack Conway, the national president of Common Cause, the liberal group which sponsored Proposition Nine, said today: "Our motto from now is Eastward Ho!?."

Mr. Brown, seed 36, and Mr. Mr Brown, aged 36, and Mr Flournoy, who is 44, are both relanively young and unknown. Mr Brown bas been California Secretary of State, and Mr Flournoy State Controller.



President Nixon tries to catch one of the caps thrown by navindshipmen graduating from Amapolis yesterday.

Mrs Meir says farewell to politics

Jerusalem, June 5 Mrs Golda Meir today noti-

fied the Speaker of the Knesset, Mr Israel Yesbayahu, that she is giving up her parliamentary seat. The decision becomes effective in two days' time, when Mrs Meir will in theory retire to private life.

She is unlikely to disappear entirely from the public eye, however. She has agreed to make fund-raising tours and other missions abroad and is under contract to write her memoris. As a former Prime memoirs. As a former Prime Minister, she is entitled to keep her hodyguard and a car and driver.

Mrs Meir has wanted to retire Mrs Meir has wanted to retire for more than a year and was persuaded only with difficulty to carry on last summer and to lead the Lahour Party in the election in October. Then came the war with its shocks, followed by several months of inteose strain and disillusionment for the 76-year-old leader. the 76-year-old leader.

administration that she ful-filled ber last major task, leading the negotiations with Dr Henry Kissinger that led to the disengagement agreement with Syria. Mrs Meir was thus able to end her 25-year career in the Knesset with a success which made up for the tragedies of the past year. Even when ber poli-rating as Prime Minister was at rating as Prime Minister was at its lowest, she kept tha affec-tion of her countrymen. Her service to Israel spanned nearly half a century, from the

early years after her arrival as an immigrant from the United States in 1921 with ber bushand Morris Myerson. She had heen horo in Kiev in the Ukraine in

main hlame fell on Mr Moshe
Dayan, the Defance Minister,
Mra Meir took the criticisms of
of her Government to heart.
When party bickering delayed
the formation of ber new Government by two months, sha
decided to resign, but carried
on while her dasignated successor struggled to get a Cabinet
together.

It was as bead of a caretaker
administration that she fulfound time for Zionist and trade union activities. She became bead of the political department of the fledgling Histadrut labour confederation, and in the 1940s, when most of her male colleagues were jailed by the British mandate authorities, took over the Jewish Agency's political direction in Jerusalem. She was one of the chief negotiators with the British over the creation of Israel, Refore the the creation of Israel. Before the state was set up, she made a secret journey to Transjordan, disguised as an Arab woman, to try to persuade King Abdullah not to join the Arab states' attack on Israel After Israel's hirth sbe was eppointed Minister The delayed election was hore in Kiev in the Ukraine in followed by the growth of protest movements directed against ter, and ber early memories those responsible for the were of pogroms against the "hlunders", and although the Jews. More than 60 years later origins.

of tampering with historical

Now, today, while be makes bold with predictions, he has been caught out scolding the judiciary committee on the basis of a legal rule that is found not

to exist. The committee had writ-teo to Mr Nixoo warning him

that "adverse inferences" could be drawn from his claim of

executive privilege, invoked to

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committee chairman, Congress-man Peter Rodino, is proceed-

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Bolivian Army soon collapses

La Paz, June 5.—Loyal troops today crushed a military uprising in Bolivia against the rightwing Government of President Hugo Banzer, but the rebel leaders escaped.

General Banzer, who seized

power after a short civil war in 1971, was on an inspection tour in the south when the rebels hriefly took over the presidential palace, using a tank to smash down the doors.

revolt took refuge in a foreign

The communique said that the revolt was "strictly mili-tary", but a later Information Ministry statement said Senor Ciro Humboldt Barrero, leader of the Nationalist Revolution-ary Movement (MNR), had also taken refuge in an embassy.

The left-of-centre MNR is one of two parties which support General Banzer's Government. The other, tha right-wing Boliv-ian Socialist Falange (FSB), called out its members for an "armed mobilization" to defend the Government and ordered civil servants working in four ministries under FSB control to take arms to work

The Government is also facing mounting unrest among university students here and in other cities. They have been on strike for more than two weeks to press demands that the state universities be made dem ocratic.—Renter.

tape recordings they are requesting by subpocoa. Mr St Clair, saying be had kooked up the law, claimed this to be improper. Committee members (lawyers all 37 of them) pointed out the privilege section had been specifically excloded from the law be claimed to bave looked up. Mr St Clair oow claims that does not weaken bis point. Wherever Mr St Clair draws strength for bis convictions, the committee chairman, Congress-Death sentence on Bulgarian for espionage By Our Foreign Staff

A Bulgarian former diplomat and economist, who served on Bulgarian missions to United Nations organizations in New York and Vienna, has been sentenced to death for espionage by the Sofia municipal court. Heinrich Spetter, aged 53, a Jew, is believed to bave visited Israel, but it is not known to which country he is alleged to which country he is alleged to have passed information. According to the Bulgarian news agency he made a full confession.

In 1964 another former member of the Bulgarian mission to the United Nations, Ivan-Assen Gaorgiev, was executed for spying for American intelligence.

Russians detain British driver

Warsaw, June 5.—Mr Donald Cutler, a Briton driving a coach-load of tourists through Eastern Europe, was being ques-tioned in the Soviet Union today after a fatal accident in-

today after a fatal accident involving a cyclist.

The tourists, British, American, Australian and Portuguese, continued their journey by train after the accident and spent today sightseeing in Warsaw.—Reuter.

Concorde's fast

Dakar, June 5.—The Concorde supersonic airliner landed bere for a stopover today after hav-ing flown the 9,200 miles from Paris to Rio de Janeiro and on to he bere in eight hours 36 minutes. — Agence

Rebellion in | Villagers tell of atrocities

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Dar es Salaam, June 5.—The United Nations commission of ioquiry into alleged massacres in Mozambique heard evidence yesterday of appalling brutality when Portuguese troops report-edly decapitated schoolchildren disembowelled pregnant

by Portuguese

These atrocities occurred in and around four villages too small to be marked on most maps—Naveta, Likayoyo, Nankuda and Kulangulana Mwema. Two children, Crisantu Kumbamwe and Seratina Joao, aged between 10 and 13, told the commission that their school at smash down the doors.

The rehels, elements of the Tarapaca Armoured Regiment, broadcast a radio communique claiming that they were in charge of the Government. However, they withdrew to barracks and surrendered after the presidential guards gave them one hour to leave.

The rebel communique was signed by Lieusenant-Colonel Raul Lopez Leyton and Major Gary Prad Salom. The Interior Ministry said leaders of the revolt took refuge in a foreign in the resolution that their school at Naveta was bombed and 11 pupils killed. They showed scars of wounds received in the carlos, on October 10, 1973.

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African countries are becoming-increasingly irritated over the rapid expansion of trade be-tween South Africa and Japan. The meeting this year also follows reports which indicate that Japanese firms have been evading Rhodesian sanctions. However, it herama abunpansion of trade between Africa and Tokyo. evading Rhodesian sanctions. However, it became abundantly clear today that the powerful Ministry for International Trade and Industry has opposed the Foreign Ministry's suggestions that Jepan should cut trade with South Africa. The new restrictions on cultural and sporting ties apparently were imposed today as a sop to the Afro-Asian block. A spokesman for the Foreign However, the Minist try has vehemently opporoposals on the ground of Japan's suchrome originates in Schröme. Africa. The Ministry, boweve discussed a plan noder businessmen would hava

A spokesman for the Foreign Ministry said tonight that the decision was taken in compliconsignment notes in fu prove that imports c originate in Rhodesia. The was withdrawn earlie month after the South ance with United Nations resolutions. He added that the leading South African and international golf professional, Gary Player, will not be allowed to compete in Japan again. Government refused in operate with the Japroposal.

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Tokyo, June 5
The Japanese Government announced today that Sonth Africans will not be allowed to

sporting events or caltural and educational activities in future. The decision was taken today

of the decision was taken today after Japanese envoys in Africa met in Tokyo to raview Japan's economic and policical policies in Africa. The envoys, who have returned to Tokyo for a routine annual conference, expressed concern that black African countries are becausing increasingly invitated.

Africans deny split over Rhodesia settlement plan

From Our Correspondent Salisbury, Rhodesia, June 5

A controversy has broken out here as to whether or not the African National Council (ANC) voted unanimously last weekend to reject semiement proposals accepted by the Rhode sian Government and Bishop Government and Bishop Muzorewa, the ANC leader.

At the tima Dr Edison Sit-hole, the ANC publicity secre-tary, read a statement to jour-nalists which stated categorinaists which stated categorically that the decision was manimous, but Ronald Golden, political reporter of *The Rhodesia Herald*, wrote today that voting in the ANC central committee on the proposals was 14-9. He quoted a most reliable course close to the Government as saying that the hardline elements at the meeting wanted nothing less than parity in Parliament and that the more moderate elements were shouted down.

The report said severe pres-sure was exerted on the com-mittee by nationalistic elements in London and Lusaka, but today it was repudiated by the ANC leadership. Bishop Muzo-rewa said it was absolutely evil and false."

nant bad their stomachs opened He added: "The claim that with Mr Savory, who is all and unborn bables pulled nine members voted Yes' was to be dictatorial and naw out."—Agence France Presse. unter nonsense, as was the to follow party policy.

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Mr Chad Chipunza, leathe African Progressive which favours settlement be was glad that nine members bad "seen the li Those ANC members wh voted for the settlement p als should jain his party. Mr Alan Savory bas re-

as leader of the all-middle-of-the-road Rh-Party on the grounds that has been an immensa per campaign against blm. Savory, aged 38, is the p only representative in l ment to which be was e under Rhodesian Front co He is replaced as Pre. of the Rhodesia Party t Timothy Gibbs, who farm the Matabeleland area and leading authority on ag tural matters in the sou part of the country.

Mr Savory's resignation expected as be has been pressure for some time, party lost much of its str some months ago, when M Ashburner, its acting le and Dr Morris Hirsch, in stitutional expert, walker because of a personality with Mr Savory, who is at

Blacks and Puerto Ricans take over underworld

New York's Mafia changes its colour

From Peter Strafford
New York, June 5

There is a new presence in the changing world of American big city crime. According to Black Mafia, a hook just published in New York, the traditional Italian Mafia is gradually being phased out of its old fiefdoms, and a new type of criminal organization is taking its place, consisting largely of blacks and Puerto Ricans.

The newcomers do not yet

There they talked with the United involved in various criminal organization taking to make the Linian and then they were at the bottom of the beap, the came the Italians, and now they life in this new under in their turn are climbing or with such characters as the Turk", Harold "Mai Robinson, and Richard blacks and Puerto Ricans.

The newcomers do not yet have the power or the organiza-tion of the Italian "families". But Dr Francis Ianni, the

author of the book, argues that in Naw York at least there is already "a scattered and loosely organized pattern of emerging black control in organized crime", and that over the next decade this will develop into a "black Maffa".

Blacks and Puerto Ricans already control much of tha prostitution in New York, be says, as well as the incrative "numbers game", in which

alcohol in the days of prohibition.

New Yorkers tend to take a
rather romantic view of the
Mafia and its peculiarly gory
ways. Nothing holds the headlines of the papers as well as
an outhurst of gang warfare,
and the evidence of "rubouts".

"I have defined organized crime", he writes, "as an inte-gral part of the American social system that brings to-gether a public that demands certain goods and services that are defined as illegal, an organization of individuals who produce or supply those goods and have not the strong l services, and corrupt public officials who protect such individuals for their own profit or therefore, on the basis or of strong limits and puerto learning the strong land to be for the strong la gain ".

Organized crime should be seen, be says, as "one end of a continuum of business enter-prises with legitimate business at the other end".

They were able to go into the the police. One speaker i areas where they were known, in east and central Harlem, in the Red Hook and Bedford.
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His conclusion is tha

blacks and Puerto Rican forming large criminal works, similar in many w those of the Italian Mafia strict internal rules, but with a number of differenc The blacks and Puerto I therefore, on the basis of-bood friendships or of s

prison experiences.
The Italians have hy says, as well as the incrative "numbers game", in which millious of people bet on a certain set of numbers coming up. In the future, blacks, Pnerto Ricans and Cubans could take over the drug traffic, and use it to establish themselves in the same way as the Italians used the need for alcohol in tha days of prohibition.

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Seoul cautions Tokyo over Kim trial

Seoul, June 5.—South Korea tions in 1967 and 1971 and today warned Japan against intereference in Korean domestic affairs in connexion with the trial of the former Opposition leader, Mr Kim Dae Jung, on charges of election law violations.

Mr Kim appeared before the Kim Dae Jung's abduction last fellowship at Harvard Ut attended a political settlement on the case of Mr Kim appeared before the Kim Dae Jung's abduction last fellowship at Harvard Ut attended a political settlement on the case of Mr Kim Dae Jung's abduction last fellowship at Harvard Ut attended a political settlement on the case of Mr Kim Dae Jung's abduction last fellowship at Harvard Ut attended a political settlement on the case of Mr Kim Dae Jung's abduction last fellowship at Harvard Ut attended a political settlement on the case of Mr Kim Dae Jung's abduction last fellowship at Harvard Ut attended a political settlement on the case of Mr Kim Dae Jung's abduction last fellowship at Harvard Ut attended a political settlement on the case of Mr Kim Dae Jung's abduction last fellowship at Harvard Ut attended a political settlement on the case of Mr Ellowship at Harvard Ut attended a political settlement on the case of Mr Ellowship at Harvard Ut attended a political settlement on the case of Mr Ellowship at Harvard Ut attended a political settlement on the case of Mr Ellowship at Harvard Ut attended a political settlement on the case of Mr Ellowship at Harvard Ut attended a political settlement on the case of Mr Ellowship at Harvard Ut attended a political settlement on the case of Mr Ellowship at Harvard Ut attended a political settlement on the case of Mr Ellowship at Harvard Ut attended a political settlement on the case ambassador "understanding between Mr the Seoul Government's the see ambassador "understanding between Mr the Seoul Government's tion on the Kim Dae Jung Seoul Korean counterpart.

charges of election law violations.

Mr Kim appeared before the Seoul district criminal court today as the court resumed his trial, suspended in August.

1970, on charges that ames from his campaign for a National Assembly seat in the 1967 hatlonal elections.

Mr Kim Dong Jo, the Foreign Minister, meanwhile told Mr Torao Ushiroku, the Japanese Ambassador, that the trial was in accordance with Korean law and the Japanese Government could not intervene.

The Foreign Minister also fold Mr Ushiroku that Mr Kim's trial was in count on the case of Mr Kim's part of the count of





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Aegean dispute Ankara, June 5.—Turkey today proposed to Greece that negotiations to settle the Aegean oil dispute should begin on the basis of "mntual good will and common Sense"; an informed dislocation.

diplomatic source said.

In a Note to Athens, the
Turkisb Foreign Ministry
refused preconditions for the
talks—a rejection of a Greek
offer to conduct talks within the framework of the 1958 Gen va agreement on continental shelves.

Turkey is not a signatory to the Geneva pact. It does not accept the application to the Aegean situation of the Geneva principles that islands also have coodoental sbelves. Several Greek islands in the Aegean are adjacent to the Turkish coast and surroond an area where Turkey bas granted oil exploration liceoces to its national oil com-

Greeca has protested against the licences and armed forces of the licences and armed forces of both countries last week went on alert because of the dispute.

In what appeared to be a show of Turkish determination tha commanders of the Turkish Air Force, Navy and militia arrived today in the Aegean port of lamir for "inspections".

However reverses resinted out Izmir for "inspections".

However, sources pointed out that yesterday General Semih Sancar, Chief of the Turkish General Staff, left for the United States, a sign that the crisis between the two Nato allies bad calmed down.—AP.

From Edmund Stevens

Turkish Note | Mr Nixon's lawyer decries talk of impeachment From Fred Emery Washington, June 5 President Nixon's defenca Clair's brief on impeachable offences. Bluntly, Mr St Clair was accused of the academic sin

lawyer, Mr James St Clair, was reported today as saying that be thought it "very doubtful, very doubtful" that the House judiciary committee would vote to recommend impeachment of Mr The comment to reporters has

made news because it goes against even publicized White House predictions—let alone the overwhelming feeling on Capitol Hill that the only remaining uncertainty in the affair is whether Mr Nixon will be convicted in the Senate.

ded, the House would then vote, a simple majority being suffi-cient to seed the President for

trial in the Senate.

Mr St Clair bes sat in on all the closed bearings but has been frustrated by being debarred from taking part. The committee is allowing him to examina witnesses—once they appear. His tactic has been to try making a noise outside but his reputation as a trial larger is

The process is for the judi-ciary committee, which is at present holding closad hearings on whether grounds for impeach-ment exist, to recommend its views to the full House. If impeachment were recommen-

reputation as a trial lawyer is seen to be eroding. The Harvard Law Review is

The committee beard two tapes yesterday of the President giving instructions in the ITT affair. Today it was listening to tapes of Mr Nixon and Mr Connally and the milk producers. Io both cases "bribery" is one possible charge being examined against the President. carrying a scathing attack by Professor Raoul Berger on Mr St Russia tries again to call world party congress

some who did not lend their Moscow, June 5 names. Pravia says that among A renewed effort to rally the successes of the 1969 support for another world con-

gress of communist parties was made in today's Provda. Betailed to win enough support from "brother parties", Pravda this time uses a cautious circumbus the breakaway tactics of the location by suggesting the idea Maoists". originated elsewhere. A 3.500-word unsigned article

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As proof of this Pravdo says:

The Peking leaders who combeaded "For new successes of the communist movement", recalls the fifth anniversary of the 1969 world congress in the world arena."

growth of socialist influence in the world arena." It omits to recall that attempts by the Soviet party delegation at the conference to After listing the achieve-After listing the achievements of that confereoce, the
article ends: "Many hrothar
parties have advanced proposals
for undertaking new important
collectiva steps for further ideological and political consolidation of the communist movement, and enhancement of its
role in the world.

"The Soviet Communist
Party is prepared to support drum China ont of the world communist movement, met with strong opposition from several delegations, led by the Romanians and Italians.

While the Soviet party leadment, and enhancement of its role in the world.

"The Soviet Communist Party is prepared to support appropriate initiatives and, together with other Marxist-Leninist parties, to join io their practical fulfilment."

The articla does not identify the "many parties", but it would not be hard to guess While the Soviet party leadership could doubtless give many cogent grounds for wanting to counter decentralizing tendencies io the world communist movement, and consolidate their own leadership, further aggravation of Sino-Russian comity is doubtless a main, if not the main, reason for seek-

Indian crisis on President's election solved Delhi, June 5.—Tha Sopreme Court of India today ended an

important constitutional dispute by holding that a new national president must be elacted be-fore the five-year term of Presi-dent Giri eods on August 24. The court's ruling was given on a point of law sent to it by the Government in April after a dehate on the constitutional validity of a presidential election without a state—in this case Gujarat whose assembly bas been dissolved after riots—par-

ticipatiog. The court said that the disso-lution of the Gujarat state assembly did not affect the validity of the electoral college, comprising members of Parlia-ment and state legislatures, and that an election was mandatory hefore the end of the five-year terms of the President. terms of the President. The Punjab Government has released 36 journalists arrested in the past six days for violating a ban on processions and

meetings. The release followed the freeing last week by the People's Party Government of 38 journalists and press workers detained for one week for an identical

ing sought hera this week e most important of the initiated by the Chilean orce of 54 former officers O civilians.

terdey, the council of war the cases against Señor Schnake, a former Social-nator, and Señor Carlos former state bank vice-lent and close friend of lent Allende. The prosehava asked for a 30-year nce in the former case and oprisonment in the latter. two men are accused of treason. The prosecution that there was a state r in Chile hefore the coup aptember, that the politirties that supported Presi-Allende were "enemies", hat the government coalicontained paramilitary s. The prosecution also s that both the Suprame

Schnake and Senor are said to have received pro-government officers of different barracks and lential information which

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or pre-coup treason military secrets which would have endangered the country's death penalties and one internal and external security are of life imprisonment on falling into the Argentine and Cuban citizens who at that time were working for the government.

The defence has requested that the cases should be judged by civilian courts, since there was not a state of war before

Senor Eduardo Vial, defend ing Senor Lazo, stated: "Only history, with more serenity, will be abla to judge these cases. At this time one must understand that the country was living in an intense political atmosphere and the achien between government and opposition was also affecting the armed forces."
Señor Schnake's connsel Señor Luís Ortiz, argued that the prosecution bad created a fictious war to justify sen-tences that would not be applicable in peacetime. He also argued that the lists of military promotions found in Senor

Schnake's possession were by no means military secrets. In any case the betrayal of military secrets was an offence committed by a member of the armed forces, who was bonne by military regulations, and not by a civilian, especially a sension bound by loyalty to in-

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if the week, Britons working least the announcement. n eccused the Amin regime eating a reign of terror in the through massive violation

the BBC over the report. The announcement said:
"President Amin tonight warned Britain concerning unfounded propaganda against Uganda over the BBC.

"General Amin ordered the British Acting High Commis-sioner resident in Ugande to inform the British Government, and particularly to inform the BBC, that if this unfounded esident Amin, in his refer-propaganda does not end forth-to "unfounded propa-with, Uganda will close the ", was believed to be re-offices of the British High Comig to a report by the Inter- mission before the end of this cal Commission of Jurists, week, and order all working

Greek coup leader on trial for corruption

From Mario Modiano Achens, June: 5

Pfles of banknotes represent ng millions of drachmas, neatly tied up with string, were on display in the Athens special military court today, when former Colonel Michael Balopoulos, one of the leaders of the 1967 coup, and 39 other persons went on trial on charges of corruption. In the dock with the former colonel sat senior civil servants. meat importers, and stock-brokers accused of illegal meat

imports, bribery, and smurgling out foreign exchange. The indicement asserted than Mr Balopoulos as Under-secretary of Commerce in the Govern ment of President Papadopoulos, had taken bribes and gifts, in 1972 and 1973, in exchange for favours to meat merchants who were importing illegal or bad

The alleged favours involved exclusive licences to import meat from Rhodesia or from areas afflicted with, foot-and-mouth disease, on false certificates of origin. The importers are accused of creating artificial

shortages in order to force con-trolled prices up.

Mr Belopoulos rejects the charges and asserts that all he tried to do was to keep the market well-stocked with ment at a time of shortage, regardless of the Rhodesian sanctions:

A leading defendant is Mr Zafirios Papamichalopoulos, director-general of market con-

director-general of market control in the Department of Commerce. According to the indictment, he has confessed to receiving bribes from meat importers totalling 9m drachmas (£128,000) which he feigned to have passed on to the undersecretary, but kept for himself, together with the weekly purcels of fine steaks from the butchers.

the packets of banknotes were said to have been found by the military police at his house and his daughter's home.

The Government is demanding moral damages of 10m drackman. moral damages of 10m drachmas (£143,000) on the ground that the scandal "weakaned the people's faith in the prestige and



An aerial view of the crater made by India's nuclear explosion in the Rajasthan Desert

Soviet sea power alarms Britain

Nairobi, June 5.- The British up to be very considerable. One Government is concerned by the build-up of Soviet naval power in the Indian Ocean and else-where and this is a factor in its present defence review. Mr Frank Judd, Minister with re-sponsibility for the Royal Navy. said here last night.

After a hrief visit to the British naval pairol off the Mozambique port of Beira, intended to deter oil imports destined for Rhodesia, Mr Judd told a press conference that he considered the Soviet naval build-

nuclear submarine was being commissioned every five weeks. "Of course we know of the Soviet desire to metch the naval capability of the other major powers out it now appears to be aiming beyond parity.

"Obviously anyone in a job like mine nes to ask himself what is the purpose of this expansion, and how far can it go in the reelity of a nuclear age without risking the ultimate horror". Mr Judd told a press conference. Britain's defence arrangement

with South Africa for the use of the Simonsiown base was part of

south.-Reuser.

Mr Juod said he was ex-tremely impressed by the work of the men engaged to the Beira parrol. There was no intention at present of ending it.

the Labour Government's wide review of defence policy. He hoped to see a positive build-up of links with black African countries as well as a change in attitude towards the more for Doomsday wants of the rich threatened to deny the world's poor of their basic surrival needs.

Nairobi, June 5.-Menkino must face the fect that Doomsday is possible, or even probable, if it continues on its presem course, Mr Meurice Stroog, executive director of the United Netions Environment Programme (UNEP), said

World is heading once

"The reaction of the world community to the energy crisis seems to be pushing us faster along the same self-destructive ems in the first place", he said in a prepared speech released here to mark the second anni-tersary of World Environment

Day.
The address is being delivered in Spokage. Washington, for Spokane's Expo '74, which focuses on new technology for environmental improvement.

Mr Strong said the real dilemma was that "our whole society, aspecially our industrial system, is geared to a set of automatic habitual of automatic, habitual responses that are inherently self-defeating: more production, more growth, more everything." He went on: "For a while I thought the energy risis might lead to a dawning of sanity in our use of re-sources, but the sense of crisis has faded too fast ".

Mr Strong gave waroing that international manoeuvring in ernational managementing in wake of the oil shortages was threatening to usher in a new era of even sharper divi-sions between rich and poor.

The scramble for scarce re-isources to satisfy the indulgeot ing prospect."—Reuter.

"The environment issue is moving off the level of vague and pious generalities", be said. From now on we will bare to face a whole series no specific issues in which the potential for cooflict is bigb. We can expect conflicts be-tween economic and social goals, between the short-term narrow special interests of the few and the lerger environmenpatterns of growth which tal benefit to all, and loter-caused our environmentel prob-national conflicts when the lems to the first place", he said actions of one country inflict damage on her neighbours.

"Those whose interests are heing affected negatively are predictably fighting hard to protect themselves. The fight between narrow interests and the environment will be a loog

The voices of doom which saw nn way out for human survival could not be dismissed entirely, Mr Strong said.

"If our hopes for the future are to besed on a realistic assessment of the evidence before us, we will have to acknowledge that if Doomsday is not inevitable it is possible— perhaps even probable—if we continue on the present course.

"The only thing separating us from a brighter future is our own moral and political will. In the final analysis, our hopes lie in the choices made by this generation. No generation has ever faced a more awesome responsibility or a more excit-

Split min threat to Britain on tlementnfounded propaganda

against his country does top immediately the offices a British High Commission will be closed before the

da will also be given 48 to leave the country, the deot added, according to de radio. The radio broke a sports programme to

inpala, June 5.—President tions of human rights, arbitrary of Uganda has told Britain arrests, murder and torture.] if "unfounded propa-President Amin elso attacked

mission before the end of this week, and order all working drachmas (£421,000) from nina churches, to quir Uganda within a period of two days. Reuter exchange reserves.

Whitlam control of Senate now expected

From Our Correspondent Melbourne, June 5

The general election results for the Senate are expected to be clearer by Friday when it is likely that Mr Gough Whitlam's Labour Government will be shown to have a majority of two—31 seats to 29. The Government would then

have complete control of Parlia-ment and a joint sitting of the two Houses to pass key legisla-tion previously rejected by the Senate would be unnecessary.

Premier says communists killed Cambodia minister

death toll in vesterday's bitter fighting here between anti-Government students and military police in which Dr Keo Sangkim, the education minister, end his adviser, Mr Thach Chea, were killed has risen to four. Two studeots wounded in the clashes died in hospital last night.

In a radio broadcast last night, Mr Long Boret, the Prime Minister, said communist agents bad tortured and killed" the minister and his adviser. He declared three days of mourning.

More than 30 studeots and

kim and Mr Chea, who were taken hostage by the studeors. More than 100 students were detained.

The students were demonstrating for the release of colleagues and teachers beld by the Government for alleged subversion. The school, with 100 students still inside, todey was surrouoded by military

police were wounded in the in the battle round Ben Cat, clashes, which broke out efter 25 miles north of Saigoo, yesmilitary police moved into a terday efternooo. They military police moved into a terday efternooo. They high school to rescue Dr Sang- appeared only a few hours after the Government retook the village of An Dien after a fourday battle in which the com-mand reported having killed and wounded at least 400 commnnist soldiers and destroyed five communist tanks.

The Government's own casualties in the last four days fighting for An Dien and the other two militia positions lost three weeks ago on the provio-Victoria Brittain writes from ciel roed rnooiog west out of Saigon: A full communist battalioo and four taoks were back wounded.

fighting for the two remaining positions held by the commu-nists and route 13 was closed to all traffic 12 miles south of Ben

Cat.
Four Government soldiers were killed and 13 wounded in a mortar ettack and two angegements about 15 miles south-east of Hue, in the northernmost provioce of Thua Thieo, one of the few ereas where an effective ceasefire was observed for most of the past year.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE DEMOCRATIC PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF KOREA

SUNG to questions raised by "L'UNITA", organ of the Italian Communist Party.

tweeo the two parts of Korea on peacefully.
rennifying the country free from interference of outside forces. But, later we learned that new difficulties had been laid on this road.

Fatherland. The people throughout the world to say nothing of the entire Korean people in that north and south rejoiced and warmly hailed it. After the appouncement of the north-south joint

to perpetuata the national division.

The South Korean authorities under the wire pulling of U.S. imperialism scrapped the north-south joint statement on the day after signing it, saying that it is no more than a scrap of paper saying that it is no more than a scrap of paper which is unbelievable. After that they committed acts totally contravening the principles of the north-south joint statement and turned down all the reasonable proposals put forward by us to eccelerate national reunification. Then, in June last year, they openly announced to the world a "policy" on fixing and perpetuating the national split. The assertion of the South Korean authorities that South Korean and North Target what south Korean and North Target whether split. The assertion of the South Korea author-ries is that South Korea and North Korea should enter the United Nations separately. This is, designed, to all practical intents, to freeze the division of the nation and keep our country

found it impossible to realise their wild design to invade the northern half of the Republic and turn the whole of Korea into their colony, the U.S. imperialists brought forward the Two. Koreas" policy with a sinister aim to keep a bold on South Korea at least. At the United Nations General Assembly last year the U.S. imperialists, together with their followers,

zealously following the U.S. imperialists in their "Two Koreas" plot. While stepping up their renewed invasion of South Korea, the Japanese militarists, in collusion and conspiracy with the U.S. imperialists, are actively pushing ahead with the plot to create "Two Koreas". It is not without reason that some time ago a Japanesa journal wrote that the Two Koreas policy is drama the Pak Jung Hi regime is playing in accordance with the script of the United States

We consider that a road to the solution of the question of our country's reunification can be smoothed only by smashing the "Two Koreas" plot of the U.S. imperialists, the Japanese mili-tarists and the South Korean authorities and putting an end to the interference of outside.

ettempt to fix and perpetuate the division of our country end thoroughly reject any ontside interference in the domestic affairs of our country. Last year's United Nations General Assembly, the first one in bistory to be held with the attendance of the representative of the Demo-cratic People's Republic of Korea, checked the we Koreas " plot of U.S. imperialism and its

We will actively struggle, first of all, to have the berets of "U.N. Forces" taken off the U.S. imperialist aggressor forces in South Korea, the main strumbling block to the solution of the question of Korea's reunification, and make them withdraw. At the same time and all actions withdraw. At the same time, we will strive to continue the talks between the north and the south and hring ebout many sided collaboration and interchange between them in eccordance with the principles clarified in the north-south

tween the north and the south, the South Korean authorities must refrain from any acts contravenauthorities must retrain from any acts contavelying the principles of the north-south joint statement. The South Korean authorities are still today persisting in the manoeuvies to perpetuate the national split and the policy of dependence upon outside forces and harshly repressing the

splittist stand, respect the north-south joint statement and make sincere efforts for its implementation, the north-south talks will make successful

progress. ... If the South Korean authorities continue to If the South Korean authorities continue to ignore the north-south joint statement and follow the road opposite to it the people will not tolerate them. The South Korean student youth and people, indignant et the South Korean authorities' ever more undisguised policy of fascist repression and manocuvres to perpetuate the national split and their policy of dependence upon Japan, bave risen in the anti-"government" and anti-fascist struggle for democracy. Already for several months they have been valiantly fighting under the slogans "down with the Pak regime", "establish democracy" and "put an immediate end to dependence upon Japan". It is natural that the South Korean student youth and people should struggle against those who betray the should struggle against those who betray the nation and repress the people by force, clinging to the sleeves of the outside forces.

Korean student youth and people will certainly be crowned with victory and the cause of national

Question: You are living in the region where there were two protracted, sanguinary wars over the last 25 years and where imperialism suffered a heavy blow in face of the heroic struggle of the Korean people and the Vietnamese people. What is your view on the prospect of the situation in this region today when the Vietnamese people won a brilliant victory and new relations are being established on the international arena? Answer: Over the past period the struggle of the peoples against the imperialists' aggression

politically and military, in the Korean war and started on the downgrade. Having been badly battered again in the Vietnam war, they are sinking deep into the pit of ruin. The U.S. imperialists are now being continually manied in Cambodia. The U.S. imperialists are meeting setbacks and are repudiated everywhere io Asia. All facts show that the situation in Asia has developed over the last period in favour of the Asian peoples and the U.S. imperialists bave suffered a serious setback in Asia.

But the U.S. imperialists have not yet given

countries. They are making desperate efforts to belp themselves out of the predicament. The crafty U.S. imperialists put forth the so called "Nixon Doctrine" to make the Asians fight Asians by instigating their satellite states and purpers of Asia. Under the zealous aegis of the U.S. imperialists, the Japanese militarists are spurring on their infiltration into various countries of Asia to realize their wild ambition for overseas expansion.

The aggressive design of the U.S. imperialists and the Japanese militarists against Asian countries will never be realized. I think the

Asia are firmly united on one common front of struggle against the imperialists' aggression and intervention. The Asian peoples have been awakened and steeled through their protracted

The voices calling for independence are ringing louder and the fighting spirit is rapidly mounting against U.S. imperialism and Japanese militarism in all areas of Asia today. The last of the U.S. imperialists will be kicked out of Asia before long and the Japanese militarists' manneuvres of

Of course the U.S. imperialists may macocenvre in Asia in various forms in future, resorting to a craftier trick. No matter how the U.S. imperielists may manoeuvre, however, the revolutionary peoples of Asia will firmly maintain the antimperialist stand to the end. The future of Asia will he decided by the Asiao peoples, its mester. The Asian peoples will certainly build an Asia where there is neither imperialism nor exploitation and oppression, an independent and prospernus, new Asia.

Communist Movement and has made an important contribution to the World Anti-Imperialist movement. Please tell us how do you view the prospect of the struggle against imperialism end for peace at the present stage in the light of your experi-ences, and what role the International Communist and working-class movements can play in this

Answer: As you know, there is a growing argument on the international arena todey that the present era is an era of shift to peeceful coexistence and cooperation from cold war and confrontation. Our people, too, want peece and unanimously hope to see a lasting peace. But.

in a difficult position.

The U.S. imperialists are now improving their relations with big countries and easing the tension temporarily under the signboard of "peace" in an attempt to gain a breathing space, while persisting in their intensified manoeuvres of aggression against small countries and interference in their internal affairs. Recently the U.S. imperialists instigated the Israeli aggressors to provoke a war of aggression against the Egyptian and Syrian peoples. The U.S. imperialists also engineered a fascist military coup to overthrow the legitimate popular unity government in Chile. It is also none other than the U.S. imperialists who are carrying on the manoeuvres of aggression and interference in the domestic affairs in Korea, Cambodia. Vietnam, Leos and e number of African countries and

the imperialists are elways engrossed in aggrestion, war and intervention. be heightened and struggle intensified against

signboard of " peace". "peace", there may appear those who harhour an illusion abour imperialism and sbun struggle against it and also those who try to seek security through en unprinciplad compromise with it. These people are either those who are tired of the revolutionary struggle and are going to give up will not be weakened though these people may

appear.
As long as imperialism exists, there will always

exploitatioo and oppression, aggressioo and tionary struggle of the people ageinst it. The people cao free themselves from imperialist

continue to increase in number in the future. The people of many countries now suffering from imperialist aggression and intervention are calling for contioned struggle and courageously rising up in the anti-imperialist struggle without wavering in the face of any hardships end trials. No matter how hard the imperialists may try

to paralyse the revolutionary consciousness of the people and stamp out the anti-imperialist struggle, putting op signboards of "peace", the anni-imperialist struggle of the people will continue to grow in strength. The people will certainly win class liberation and national independence and ettain world peace and security through their stauoch struggle against

munist end working class movements in the enti-imperialist struggle, todey the International Communist end working class movements consti-tute the most powerful revolutionary force opposed to all the reactionery forces including imperialism and the decisive force holding in check the imperialist policies of aggression and war and guerenteeing world peace and security. It is thanks to the strengthening of the International Communist and working-class movemeous
that the general interoationel situation is
developing today in favour of peace and
democracy, national independence and socialism. There is no doubt that if the International Communist and working class movements advance as e united force in the future, they will play a far greater role than that they are playing today in the struggle against imperialism and for peace. We sincerely hope that all the revolution-

the unity of the International Communist move-ment end the solidarity of all the auti-imperialist revolutionary forces. Question: In the pest 20 years the Democratic People's Republic of Korea has brought about a great socio-economic upsurge in spite of the destruction wrought by the war. Please tell us about the future targets and prospects of development.

development.

Answer: As you said, the economy of our country was severely damaged by the three-year war imposed upon us by the U.S. imperialists. After the war we started again to build the

Our people have not only rapidly healed the war wounds but also converted our country, once a backward colonial agrarian country, into e powerful socialist state with an independent and modern industry, developed egriculture, and hrilliently flowering end developing science and culture, in a historically short span of time by waging a heroic struggle under the correct leedership of the Workers' Party of Korea, Today the face of our country has so completely changed thet one can hardly recognize what it was twenty yeers ago. Our people here great pride and self

more work to do than we have done already. You asked about the targets of our struggle and prospects of development. To answer this, I would like to explain what is the central tasks of the six-year plan set forth by the Fifth Congress of our party and bow these tasks are now being carried out.

down the distinction between heavy and light labour, between agricultural and industrial work and free women from the heavy burden of bouse-bold chores through an extensive technical rennyation movement in industry and agriculture and all other branches of the national economy. We have already achieved big successes in the carrying out of the three major tasks of the echnical revolution and opened a bright prospect for their successful fulfilment. We heve made an

Through vigorous endeavours to narrow down the distinction between heavy and light lebour in the distinction between heavy and light lebour in the field of industry, the comprehensive mechanization of operations in the coal and ore mines and the automation of work in the metal and chemical plants have been realized in no small degree. In particular, an energetic drive is going on to go over to remote control step by step in those branches where there is heat-affected and harmful labour.

between agricultural and industrial work and bring agricultural work close to industrial labour. This year is the tenth acciversary of the publication of "Theses on the Socialist Rural Question in our Country" on the occasion of the tenth anniversary of the publication of the theses on the rural question, we are now working, setting

In our country the irrigation of agriculture was realized long ago and the electrification was also admirably carried out in the countryside. Now e struggle is being waged forcefully to complete the mecbanization and obemicalization of agriculture. We plan to supply the countryside with 70,000-80,000 tractors (in terms of 1S h.p. uoit) hy July this year, a task set forth in the theses.

A humper harvest was reaped in our rountry last year. I think you know this well es you yourselves toured our countryside. We have set the fighting target to produce 6.5-7 million tons of grain this year while consolidating the successes achieved last yeer in the grain production. When this target is hit, it can be said, the

The task of the technical revolution for freeing women from the heavy burden of household

tioos for women to do cooking and other house-hold work quickly with ease. Along with this, work is making brisk headway to introduce water service in the countryside. When this project is completed, women will no longer need to carry warer jars on their heads.

The living standard of our people will be markedly raised in the near future. Our people beve now oo worry about the question of food, clothing and housing. But the living standard of our people as e whole has not yet reached such a level as to satisfy them. There remain the differences between the workers and peasantry in their living standard and distinctions between urhan and rural population in their living conditions. We are striving to raise by far the people's living standard as e whole and, et the same time, to improve it comparably.

When we work bard for a few years more after carrying out the six-year plan, our people's living will he improved by far not to be inferior to

our country's development are very bright and our people's struggle is worthwhile, indeed,

Our working class and cooperative farmera are now waging a vigorous struggle to carry out the six-year plan ahead of schedule with a bright

people, we are firmly confident that the six-year plan will be successfully carried out ahead of schedule When the six-year plan is fulfilled, the looks of our country will chenge ell the more es a whole and our people will reach a higher peak

Answers of the respected and beloved leader KIM IL.

Pyongyang, April 5 (KCNA):—Comrade Kim II the immediate dissolution of the "United long, the great leader of our party and our people, Nations Commission for the Unification and Response to questions raised by I'Unita, habilitation of Korea", a tonl of U.S. imperialism rgan of the Italian communist party, on January for its interference in our internal affairs. This Question: One year ago we heard with great is a welcome step which creates a favourable Question that an agreement was reached by country's reunification and a great victory of our Sung, the great leader of our party and our people, gave answers to questions raised by l'Unita, organ of the Italian communist party, on January

difficulties had been laid on this road.

Would you please tell us what those difficulties.

are and how they can be overcome?

Answer: In 1972 a north-south joint statement whose keynote is the three principles of independence, peaceful reunification and great national unity, put forward by our party, was made public in our country as a result of the talks held between the north and the south. This was a big edvance in the struggle of our people for the iodependent and peaceful reunification of the Fatherland. The people throughout the world to

statement we mede every possible effort to put it into practice and achieve the reunification of the fatherland as early as possible, but in this effort we ran up against a big obstacla owing to the manoeuvres of the domestic and foreign splitters

divided ioto two parts forever. The nation-splitting manoeuvres of the Sonth Korean authorities are a product of the "Two Koreas" policy of U.S. impecialism. Having resorted to all aorts of tricks to push through e

and under its direction and under the stagemanagement of Jepan ".

forces in the Korean question. The Workers' Party of Korea and the Government of the Republic resolutely oppose any

lackers, expressed support to the three principles of national remification laid down in the northsouth joint statement and adopted a decision on

party's policy of independent and peaceful eunification.
The Workers' Party of Korea and the Govern ment of the Republic will make every possible effort as ever to thoroughly smash any attempt to perpetuate the split of our nation and bring earlier the independent and peaceful reunification of the fatherland.

In order to continue and develop the talks bemocratic figures and patriotic student youth of title Korea who call for national reunification

and democracy. Today such acts of the South Korean authorities constitute the chief obstacla to the talks between the north and the south If the South Korean authorities renounce their

The just patriotic struggle of the South reunification will be realized without fail by the united strength of the entira Korean people.

and intervention has been fiercer in Asia than in any other region and the imperialists have been dealt a severe blow in this region. The U.S. imperialists sustained e heavy defear.

general situation in Asia will turn more favourable to the Asian peoples in the future.

There are many fighting and revolutionary countries in Asia. The revolutionary peoples of

struggles against old and new colomalism.

overseas aggression are hound to he frustrated by the struggle of the Asien peoples.

Of course the U.S. imperialists may manoenvre

prospernus, new Asia. Question: The workers party of Korea holds very dignified position in the International

unanimously hope to see a lasing peace. But, the Korean people are well aware thet peace can never be achieved by begging the imperialists for it and it can he won only through a persistent struggle against imperialism.

The more difficult their position becomes the craftier double-dealing tactics the imperialists cling to. This is e habitual method employed by the imperialists whenever they find themselves in a difficult recition.

various other countries of the world.

As the reality shows, the people want peace but We therefore consider that vigilaoce should the imperialists all the more when they put up the

When the imperialists don the mask of revolution or cowards who are afraid of revolution. But the anti-imperialist struggle as a whole

he exploitation and oppression, agression and intervention by it, and where there is imperialist

intervention there always breaks out the revoluexploitation and oppression and win independence and peace only through their own struggles.

There are still in the world many peoples subjected to imperialist oppression and exploitation. Therefore, the people who oppose imperialism and inteod to make revolution will

imperialism.

As for the role of the International Com-

ary forces will firmly unite and take a concestep in the struggle egeinst imperialism, imperialism to particular. Our party will in the future, too, as to the past, ectively struggle for

economy on the dehris where nothing remained

But these ere only initial successes. We have

The three major tasks of the technical revolution are the main content of the six-year plan. The three major tasks of the technical revolution set forth by our party aim to considerably narrow

epochal advance in the production of mechine tools, the main link in the carrying out of the technical revolution. We have elso laid the foundations of electronic and automation industries to realize sami and full-autometion in all

Tha technical revolution is also being dynamically pushed ahead to carrow down the distinction

ourselves the target to carry our the main tasks of the rurel technical revolution put forth io the

The task put forward in the theses to supply over one ton of chemicel fertilizers per chongho in terms of weight will be fulfilled in the first half The prospect of grain production is also very

grain height of the six-year plen will have been

Chores is also successfully progressing.

Greet efforts are now being directed in our country to the development of the food and daily necessaries industries in order to create condi-

In the future e big advance will he mede also in public educetion and the training of national cadres. The universal compulsory ten-year senior middle school, education which started in 1972 will be enforced completely during the six-year plan to give all children complete General secondary education et state expense in the future till they reach working age. Higher education will be rapidly developed and the number of technicians and specialists will exceed one million in the near future. In a word, the prospects of

bope for the morrow.

In view of the fighting spirit of the working

Availing myself of this exportunity, I would like to extend warm grangs to the Italian communists and the Italian working class for their active support to our people in the struggle for the building of socialism and for the realisa-tion of the independent end peaceful reunification of the country and wish the Italian communist perty greater success in the struggle against imperialism and for oeece and democracy and

All life is one

The Clockwork Testament or Enderby's End

By Anthony Burgess

(Hort-Dovis, MacGibbon, £1.95) The plot of The Clockwork Testoment or Enderby's End New York, of the minor poet, F. X. Enderby, eponymous protagnnist of Inside Mr Enderby and Enderby Outside. He is indirectly responsible for the film, The Wreck of the Deutschlond, developed the respire concerns the final artivities, in

lim, The wreck of the Detastiond. developed (hy rewrite men) "out of an idea hy F. X. Enderhy" "besed on the story hy". G. M. Hepkios S. J. Real horrorshow sinny, as Alex, the hero of A Clorkwork Orango would have said, traosposed to Nazi times, incorporating "over-explicit scenes of nuns being vinlated by teenage storm-troopers" and advertised by a "gaudy poster showing a neer-maked nun facing, with rar-mined lips opening in orgasm, the rash-smart sloggering

Called to American ettention by this demotic medium, Enderby has become Professor occupied with e long poem about the conflict hetween St Augustine and Pelagius or Morgen, the British heretic, who helieved that God had left man free to choose between Good and Evil. He is herassed hy journalists, who are glee-fully perturbed about outhreaks of nunslaughter in Monhartan and Ashton-under-Lyme, end by teenage thugs whom he pinks with a swordstick in the sub-way. He is threatened by black

of the earlier book, inteods to shoot him because her knowledge of his work is restricting ledge of his work is reserved.

Here freedom to compose. She announces berself es Dr Greaving from Goldeogrove.

Enderby proclaimed in the

first book that all women were stepmothers: rendered im-potent, more or less, hy terror of his owo particularly gross one, he retreeted into cloacal austerity and prolonged adolesrent fantasy, supported by her legacy to him, some shares and some repulsive dietery habits. But wooseo are also bitch goddesses, white goddesses, moon goddesses and suo goddesses, with whom Enderby's relations are agonized, embarrassed and inromplete. He masters this last, Americano-Hopkios Muse,

Burgess returns, with his own mixture of crude gusto and verhal intricacy, to a concaten-ation of themes : the freedom of the will, the nature of Good and Evil (and their difference from right eod wrong) the relation-ship hetween art and morals, the proposition that all life is one. proposition that all life is one. In The Wanting Seed, a repellent and grippiog fahle of the future, he turned the dehate between Pelagius and Augustica into a historical priociple, tho Cycle. Pelphase—belief in perfectibility, liberal values, order. Interphase—disappointment. breeding repression.

meot, breeding repression. Gusphase—belief in original sin, humen neture es destructive, ase of ver, sex and flesheating as social organizing forces, Pel-phase is rational, Guspbase

religious and magical.
Burgess, like Enderby, sees hoth extremes as myths. Enderby quotes Wagner—wir sind ein wenig frei. A littla free-to choose between good and evil. way. He is threatened by hlack power, women's lih, free verse, a femele Christ. He has two mild heart attacks. And o final showdown with a mysterious female visitor, as in Enderby Outside, who knows his poems. This ope, uolike the golden lady choose betweeo good and evil. That is the moral of the hook with a moral, A Clockwork Orange. Alex is chemically conditioned to like present the other cheek. The Pelagion chaplain warns him—"when a mao canoot choose, he ceases to

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he a man". But the existence of choice lovolves the existence of evil, violence, horror, as according to Enderby and Burgess, does art.

does art.

In Enderby's epic The Pet Beast, the Minotaur, double-natured, man, God, heast, gentle and flesh-eating at the centre of tho lewgiver's lehyrinth, is crucified by the Pelagian liberator. But the daedale lebyrinth contains the Cretan culture—with the death of the Beast, who is original sin. civilisation is original sin, civilisation crashes into dust. Alex, coodicrashes into dust. Alex, cooditioned to ho repelled by violence, is conditioned to he repelled by Beethoveo. Eoderhy, io this hook, describes God os a kind of infinite Ninth Symphony playing itself to itself eternally, unconcerned with human rights and wrongs. Aesthetic good is morally neutral, although it contains the knowledge of Good and Evil, beauty and destruction.

It mey he that one needs a Catholic upbringing to appreciato tha full urgency of Burgess's dicbotomies. Like the Pet Beast, everything in bis world is duel, flesh and spirit, as well as good and evil. Those who can claim that all life is one are either dangerous normative doctors and psychologists or the

tors and psychologists or the representatives of the White Goddess, tempting Enderby to Michael Ratcliffa is on holiday.

the violence inherent in the flesh and heauty and sex which he has always feared.

The Clockwork Testament

makes intricate connexions be-tween these themes, Hookins, film and hook of the Clockwork. Orange and all sorts of aspects of contemporary art and life. It succeeds because it is fereci-ously funny end wildly, verbally inventive.

There are various tours-de force—tho Hopkins - Enderby script of the Wrock of the Deutschland, an excruciating illiterate transcript of tho television show, complete with commercials (for an aerosol product called Mensex) full of double-ontendres and horrible puns. There are Enderby's encounters with the Creative Writing of his

There is a miraculous moment when Eoderhy, having undergone the poems of Black Hatred ("It will be your balls next whitey") and some "sloppy and fungold" imitation Hart Crane, suddenly produces on demand his idea of a good poem. "Queen and buntress chaste and fair." The White Goddess again. Dan-gerous but orderly, in culture, history and languago.

Historical novels

The Medici Guns. By Martin Woodhouse and Robert Ross (Dent, £2.95) The Underside

By H. R. F. Keating

(Macmillan, £2.95)

Zoō Oldenhourg, in a note on historical novels, remarks to praise an author for his or her scholarship, whether real or presumed, amouots to calling that author a plagiarist and a pedant. With that whizzing around my head, I still wish to praise the research, energy and invention which have gone into the Medici Guns and The Underside.

Guns Leonardo is 25, io the service of Lorenzo the Magnificent (himself only 28). Eogaged on the vital task of the siego of Castelmoute are the Medici gunners, a stalwart crew, incredibly tough, and like as oot, deaf ofter the age of 20, hanging away at walls 10 feet thick with 9 inch cannon halls. The sceno shifts from Ploreoce to the Romo of Sixtus IV, to Verocchio's studio, to the study of hallistics and warfare (when eveo a troatiso oo gunpowdor had to hove the Church's imprimatur). Through this goes the figure of Leonardo, free man, thinker, fighter, painter,

inventor. Leonardo's Notehooks and Florentine history (the hook covers the Pazzi conspiracy) are welded seemlessly togerber with fictional characters and events into an immensely cotertaining whole—with some nasty Renaissance violence. The authors are plenning a series, and hurry, hurry, is all I can say.

H. R. F. Keating has deserted

H. R. F. Reating has deserted the crime novel and written o Victorian romance. Godfrey Mann is a successful society paioter—his "Torquato Tasso leaving the City of Ferrara" was hought by Queen Victoria for \$600. He falls in love with the part of the control of the control of the crime of th pedant". With that whizzing around my head, I still wish to praise the research, eoergy and invention which have gone into The Medici Guns and The Underside.

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Mr Keating has delved into the noderside of social history hero and come np with some horrors, knowe to Maybew, and to the Booths (who founded and to the Booths (who founded the Solvatioo Army) and no doubt to people like Bearrice Webh as well. Ellzabeth is no prudish miss, but a mature and ontspoken woman, but even so, the resolving of their difficulties seems a thought unlikely. Woold Elizabeth have used the word "psychological"? Freud wasn't bore till 1856. . . . I'm heing podantic.

Philippa Toomey

Uniquely

detestable

The Sovereign Lady A Life of Elizabeth Vassall, third Lady Holland

By Sonia Keppel (Hamish Hamilton, £7.59)

A great hostess is usually to some A great hostess is usually to some degree a monster: rapacious, arrogant, unscrupulous, with all the nastier instincts of the samp-collector allied to those of o circus ring-master. Success once achieved ensures that these characteristics grow rapidly more evident, Lady Holland, châtelaino of Holland House, was thus unlikely to prove o sympathetic figure, hu it has taken Sonia Keppel to demonstrate how uniquely

lemonstrate how uniquely detestable she was. Life for Lady Holland really

began when, after several years of semi-detached misery with her first busband, she met and eloped with the young, rich and amiable Vassall Holland. Though a man could divorce and still remain in society, in 1797 for a woman it was social suicide.
Lady Holland's proper conduct
was to remain discreetly in the
background and avoid offending the susceptibilities of thosa ladies who had kept their indiscretions private—to "trot ebout in the grounds and feed the ducks and chickens", as Frances Wyndham advised ber. Instead she determined to turn Holland Horses into the Instead she determined to turn Holland House into the pivot of London life, the place in which all the most brilliant figures of the policical and literary worlds would meet to intrigue or amuse themselves. Incredibly, she succeeded. Under hor aegis Holland Honse became the centre of Whig society. Macanlay, Dickens, Byron, jumped obediently through her boops, every foreign diplomat of any every foreign diplomat of any standing went there for informa-tion and cultivated entertain-

How did she do it? The Hollands were rich, but not extravagantly so. They were noble, yet far less so than many others. The cooking was excellent, the surroundings pleasant, but there was also a high price

to pay, Lady Holland was rude, overbearing and cantankerous; she treated distinguished visitors with a contempt which would with a contempt which would have disconcerted a drunken cow-hand. She would interrupt the most articulate in full flight — Now, Macaulay, we have had eoough of this; give us something else "—and so enraged Count d'Orsay by requiring him to pick up her fan, her napkin and other impedimenta that he finally told the footman to serve finally told the footman to serve him his dinner on tha floor— "It will be much mora con-venient to Miladi":

venient to Miladi.":

The rich treasure of papers from Holland House has only receotly become availeble in the British Museum. Sonia Keppel was fortuoate in having earlier access to them. Though she has unearthed much of real interest, she is neither an historian nor a stylist and has failed to produce a lifelike portrait of her extra-

Though everyone who goes there finds something to obuse or to ridicule in the mistress of the house . all continue to go, all lika it more or less, and whenever it shall come to an end, o vacuum will be made in society which nothing will supply. It is a house of all Europe, the world will suffer by its loss, and it may with truth be said that it will eclipse the galety of nations.

Philip Ziegler

Poetry

lago was an honost man: 'I hava that reputation too. Poems hove to do with saviog such things. Poetry is that way of saying them. C. H. Sisson is a poetry a man impelled to find personal rhythms for some more-than-personal truth. It would be hard to speak too highly of his in the Trojan Ditch: Collected Poems & Solocted Translations (Carcanot Press, £3.25). Sisson belongs with those who have used common speech to say things not commonly said—Edward Thomas, the early Eliot, Hardy, Barnes. Doone, Raleigh. I reach back for names. English varse in this century has not heen so thick with them that anyono who cares for it can Poems hove to do with saving

anyono who cares for it can afford to ignore Sisson. Ho was born in 1914, wroto

verse in adoloscence, stopped at 20, startod again in o troopship on the way to the war, but did not hegin writing the poems by which he will be remembered until about 1950. The present until ahout 1950. The present book starts with his most racont verse, including "The Usk", which is remarkable in speaking from places where the mind prefors silence—Christ is a language in which we speak to God/And also God, so that wa speak in truth. As a guideline, a reviower might refer attention to a valediction which comes half-way through: Catultus my friend across menty

centuries,
Anxious to complete your lechery before Christ came
since much of Sisson's journey is a return to source and an attempt to reknit Christianity to the pagan world, or rather to explore the relationship of the flesh of paganism and the reli-

fiesh of paganism and the religion of the incarnation. Do not fail to stop at "The Crucifix", "Human Relations", "The Garden of Epicurus", "A. Letter to John Donne", and "In a Dark Wood". These will reed you. Indeed, if you are a neet the difficulty way he in poet the difficulty may he in starting again once they have

done so.

The poems in Philip Larkin's High Windows (Faber, £1.40) remain loyal to past victories on a small patch of ground. Once more Larkin provides the modest lyrical bits ("Cut Grass", "The Trees"); the formal essay-poems in which e subject—visiting the sea, looking at old men, disliking hospitals—is treated in metres de-

Rescuing a reputation

Waiting for the Party The Life of Frances Hodgson

By Ann Thwaite (Secker & Warburg, £3.50)

Everyone who has looked twice at Frances Hodgson Burnett and her writings has regretted Little Lord Fountieron. For one thing the public image of the child—that velver clad star of stago, screen and dower-house does not fully correspood with the creature of the hook; for another, his universal-execution has obscured the greater achievements of his creator.

Thoro is on unexpected sturdiness about the hest of her novels for adults (That Lass & Louries, The Making of a Marchioness and—if Mrs Thwaite is to be believed—Through One Administration) end this quality, cardinal and the properties for ried into her romances for children gives them an inten-sity and a virality too often lacking in convectional stories of everyday life. It is not surprising that our praise for A Little Princess and The Secret Garden is as lond now as ever it has been in the 60-odd years it has been in the 60-odd years since they were published.

There is mora to Ann Thwaire's hlography than rescuing Mrs Hodgson Burnett from Little Lord Fauntieroy. There is also the task of rescuing her from ber own posthumous reputation. On the first page of the book Mrs Thwaite confesses that she could not believe the author of The Secret Garden to be the The Secret Garden to be the "self-centred and unattractive character" of bearsay, and ber chief motive for hurrowing into what proved to be a mountain of evidence—letters, publishers' records, personal recollec-

tions was to let us see Mrs Hodgson Burnett free of false trappings innuendo and parriality answered by the facts. The trouble is though that

the trouble is though that the trappings aren't so easily removed. Not for nothing was the lady sailed "Fluffy" and not for nothing did she like to deck her shortish stature lo ribbons and frills. One feels that the glamorous exterior the ostentations display of wealth, the eventually "overbearing" self-confidence were very much part of the total character, and

they covered a figure not necessarily unattractive, but certainly not conforming to conventional expectations—a tough, chain-smoking Mancunian, working like hell and keeping her accounts in black and water box. dispatch box

For this reason, Ann Thwaite's valuable biographical Thwaite's valuable biographical endeavour, which started off with the very kindest of intentions, is constantly in danger of being thwarted by the subject it seeks in defend. Certainly Mrs. Thwaite has gone a long way to disprove Margianita Laski's statement that "Mrs. Burners's books are far more Burnett's books are far more enjoyable if one knows as little enjoyable if one knows as little as possible of what they reveal of her own personality, if only hecause she has shown so much more of the personality than we had been allowed to see before—the crisp, informal wit, the very obtious natural sympathy for children. But even so, it is still very difficult to like Mrs Hodgson Burnett or to feel that she should have gamed preferential access to the party for which she had to wair (as we all have to) so vainly and so long.

Brian Alderson

Eyeball to eyeball

Confrontation Middle East War and World **Politics**

By Walter Laqueur (Wildwood Housa, £2.50; Abacus, 7Sp)

Abacus, 75p)
Only 6 per cent of public opinion in Britain, 8 per cent in France and 16 per cent in West Germany favoured the Arabs during the Middle East War. This might he taken as evidence that the continuous nells were una that the opinion polls were up a gumtree again or, more probably, that a country's foreign policy is decided by more irre-sistible courses than mere public

sistible courses than mere public opinion.

But it might help to explain how Israel misread the writing on the wall between the wars and how while militarily brilliant she surrendered political victory to her Arah adversaries. As Professor Laqueur points out it was political not military failure which characterized—Israel's performance and an inquiry into military preparedoess last Yom Kippur could only reveal part of the could only reveal part of the

It was the failure to predict the impact of the oil weapon; the failure to understand the true extent of Israel's subsequent isolation which dealt such But at least she was not alone in her misreading. It was not a good day for diplomats any

Professor Laqueur says that had Israel been allowed to continue the war for a few more days, thus consolidating what promised to he a military victory, the political results of the war would have heen little changed. Egypt and Syrio wore surprised—first because they were doing so well and then, at the eleventh

cently subdued to their occa-sions; and the tough stuff. The last is least interesting— Larkin goes on about other (younger) chaps getting their sexual share, and more, while it seems (from "Sad Steps") that he only gets out of hed to piss and look at the moon, or gets back into bed to write poems about pissing and looking at the moon. There's something laughnblo about this. The line falls out of that particular poem and takes a cruel peek at

some of the others.

If Larkin visits Dublin you If Larkin visits Dublin you can bet thare'll be a funeral before the end of the first stanza. And when he raises his voice now, letting off the self-satirical hrakes to bring one of the longish pieces to a halt, the result is on alliterative whimper—no more smashing "poetical" cliches as in "An Arundel Tomb " or that stuff about love heing like an enormous yes in the poem about the jazz clarinot player in The Whitsun Woddings; these days it's hospital visitors With wasteful, wook, propitiatory flowers...

Srill, the same old Larkin (like Eliot, he always seems a geoeration older than he is) remains the same diecent old Larkin. His unfurnished poetry

Larkin. His unfurnished poetry of furnished rooms is certainly

his own.

It used to be Anthony Thwaite's as well, but now be hos read St Augustine and in New Confessions (Oxford, f1.50) tries on that saint's skin to creata "a personal hook of meditation and transmutation". The dove is not our piecon, as it says on page 37. Who is going to disagree? I prefer my Augustine straight, and my Thwaite cutting his suburban grass with Larkin's old mower.

Robert Nye

Keith Douglas, 1920-1944, by Desmond Graham (Oxford, f5.50). "Where are the war poets?" readers asked during the Second World War, looking over their shoulders, to Owen and Second Second Research Sassoon and even Brooks. and Sassoon and even Brooks.

Of the three most notable—
Sidney Keyes, Alm Lewis and
Keith Douglas—rone has even
yet had the attention bo
deserves. Now we have a full
hiography of Douglas, which
perhaps rather misses the
point: that his poetry was the
only important thing about him.
His rather naremarkable life is
ser our in great detail, and tha set our in great detail, and tha book is particularly welcoma hecause of the full use the author makes of the poems, and their relation to the events of

ently emerged so badly in the fighting. But their political strategy, if not their military factics, was sound and in the final analysis it is a political solution which will have to be found to the problems of the Middle East. Israel with her tiny population and limited resources could not hope for anything else particularly when one takes into

account her beavy dependence upon the United States. Books on contemporary history fall into three groups, those which explain what happened those which say why it boppened the way it did and those which look at the results of what hap-pened. The Sunday Times In-sight book brilliantly scooped tha market in group one. Pro-fessor Laqueur has obviously, been rating to be the first in group two. One wonders if per-haps he should have stayed his hand and waited for the results of the cootinuing peace negotia-

Henry Stanhope

Quick guide

The Long Way, by Bernard Moitessier (Adiard Coles, 23.50). Dear Robert: The Horn was rounded February 5, and Today is March: 18. I am continuing non-step towards the Pocific Islands because I am happy at sea, and perbaps also. Horn was rounded February 5, and Today is March 18. I am continuing non-stop towards the Pocific Islands because I am happy at sea; and perbaps also to savo my soul. Thus did Moitessior inform The Sunday Times ond the world that he was no longer competing in the single-handed Round the World Raco and, by hiplication, that he had rejected the values of the Western world. This fascinating book gives an insight into the gradual unification of a man with nature. It is well worth reading by sailors and landsmen reading by sailors and landsmen alike, and for the long-distance cruising man there are first-class factual appendices.

Cockleshell Journey, by John Ridgway (Hoddor, £2.95). John Ridgway, who clearly prefers his sailing vessels to be challengingly small (he rowed across the Atlantic) describes a voyago made with his wife and two like-minded spirits. Wo read of him cruising among tha ica-bergs and tide rares off the Chilean coast in a bouncing armada of two 10 foot long rab-ber, hoats driven by outboard motors. When the quartette step ashoro thay bag an unknown ice cap, show that Monte Inaccessible does not livo up to its name, navigate the Magellan Straits, negotiate narrows plugged with killer whales, end consume innumerable brews of teo in totally inhospitable sur-roundings. Real life Ransome

In the TLS this week This week's issue of the TLS, on sale tomorrow, contains articles ahout William Empson and Kafka, poems by Lawrence Durrell and Tony Harrison, and a special section on reprints.

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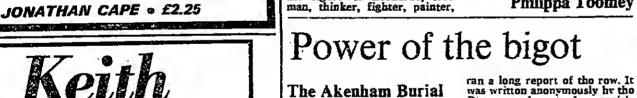
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By Ronald Fletcher

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from higotry. In 1878, in the Suffelk village of Akenham, the two-year-old son of a Baptist farm lahourer died, and there was no practical altoroative to burying him in the local parish churchyard. On tho local parish churchyard. On tho day of the funeral, there was a quarrel at the churchyard gate hetween the Anglicae roctor, the Rov George Drury, end a Dissenting minister, who had come to hold a service outside consecrated ground. At that date, the unbaptized could not legally he besied with full carenary in a unhaptized could not legally he buriod with full caremony in a churchyord; and the child wos unhoptized because Baptists leave this for adulthood. Drury was a clergyman—the Anglo-Catholic holder of an inhorited henerice—who held to tha letter

The child was, in the upshot, "hnried like a dog," hehind the church—which was not as strange then as now, when stillborn children might be interred. in banks or ditches. But the East Anglian Daily Times duly

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in his short commentaries, has reacted away from his past as o university Professor of Sociology into writing rather gushy prose. But the hook is evocativo of sevorel aspects of car recent Firstly, the shaer vigour of the local press in the days before ads ware such a central

bofore ads ware such a central concern. Second, tho harshness of rural life: thore is the raw materiol for an East Anglian Hardy here. Third, the remarkable varioty that the Anglica church has allowed within itself: Drury, do-it-yourself stonecarver and hiretta'd priest, was a peculiar man, indeed. Fourth, the religious prejudice that we are now too urban and that we are now too urban and

too orbane to go in for.

The onposents of Drury widened their attack on him to include his Papist views and get-up. That anti-Rome bostility has lasted longer, though sometimes coverily, than hostility towards Dissent. I am sure it lies somowhere among the causes of the grow-ing wish to jerrison Ulster. After all, oven if some Irishmen are Protostant, it is common knowlodgo that most of them are only Catholics. . . .

Paul Barker

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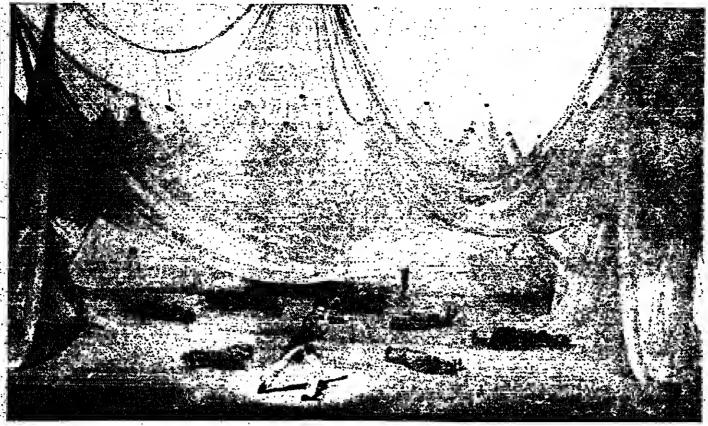
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Meyerbeer and Schumann dance

Through the darkened theatre sounds a voice from the past: Caruso, singing "O Paradiso" from L'Africuine on e pre-elecric recording. Lights come on, revealing two male dancers in white rights limbering up on opposite sides of the stage. The music ends; voices begin to read extracts from letters and read extracts from letters and diaries by Meyerbeer, composer of that aria, and his contemporary and compatriot Schumann. The two men walk about the stage, finding garments which they put on so that each comes to represent one of those That is the beginning of John

Nenmeier's new ballet at the by those contrasted nineteenth- revealed. century predecessors. Günter Bialas's Meyerbeer Paraphrases provide the opportunity to reveal the opera composer in the context of his work, and three orchestral pieces are the basis of an exploration of Schu-mann's possible thoughts at the end of his life in the asylum at Endenich. The two portraits are set in

an elaborate framework which links them into one whole and suggests thoughts on the nature of an artist's life and work. After the prologue, Meyerbeer occupies the first half of the evening, but Schumann sits watching from one side of the forestage, just as Meyerbeer will later watch him. Bialas's score takes phrases

from Meyerbeer's operas and fragments, reflects, refracts sition which mingles brilliance, wir and elegance, besides catch-ing something of the passion and seriousness of the earlier

composer's work. The man is seen surrounded by characters win Clara from her father in a from his operas, whose relationships and attitudes ha manip"Paradiese" hrings the peace ulates in an attempt to achieve the aims be has in mind. The condescending attitude

of later generations to his once highly respected music dramas finds expression in a comic treatment of a jealoos group from Les Huguenots and a cheerful band of skaters from Le Prophète (some attractive Ashion paraphrases here in the ever, with an interlude in which Christoph Eschenbach plays Schumann's Kinderszenen oo the piano which occupies the choteography). But the nuns' back of the stage throughout evil ghosts from Robert le the evening as a constant reDiable are shown in context as the origin of all baller's later sylphs, wills and suchlike spirdanced as a completely abstract danced as a completely abstract ballet, although in the course of it Saivatore Aielio and Truman Finney gradually turn into the Florestan and Eusebius Hamburg Opera. The work took its origin from the coincidence that two living German composers that two living German composers had written scores inspired dramatic expression is fairly The end of this part strik-

ingly mixes farce and tragedy as the composer, crowned withlaurels, finds his characters beginning to give at the knees or hips end sink to the ground. All his desperate attempts to re-store them are vain. Max Midinet's vivid portrait of the dandified but earnest composer, ex-cellently dona throughout, rises to greatness at this difficult

The main scene of the second half shows the mad Schumann's memories of incidents from his past. Killmayer's oxchesiral studies are sombre hut supple. throwing a shimmering texture over the crepuscular illusions. "Schumann in Endenich" introduces the characters: Schu-mann is torn between his two separately embodied natures, Florestao and Eusebius, also between love for his mother and for Clara. In "Nachtgedanken" Schu-

solo later. To have the representation of Schumann (who is drawn on stage only in the last section) sitting watching this twentieth-

release.

century realization, both as music and as ballet, of ooe of his own compositions is a re-minder of the sense in which a composer's work exists outside himself and may achieve an immortality denied to the man.

win Clars from her father in a long, tensely involved quarter. "Paradiese" brings the peace of death, but not until after visions of Clars with Brahms and a final identification of wife and mother into one figure, bringing comfort and release.

This second half begins, how-

figures, and some steps from

this section serve as the basis

Schumann's own agonized

This thought recurs at the end of the evening when all toe dancers from both balves, identically dressed in white tights or tunics, return for an epilogue to the adagio espressivo from Schumann's second sym-

work and the equally complex ideas on which it is based are demanding for producer and

inevitable awkwardnesses in trying to express such an unusual and ambitious theme, but I LSO/Foster found that the work's boldness and originality gripped in spite of these. Also, it contains some of Neumeler's most eloqueou example, I would point to the exquisitely musical solo for Rosa Scart to the tenth of the Kinderszenen, full of shirts of weight and phrasing that per-fectly match the playing.

Even so, I wondered how it would appeal to the general public. In fact, the first-night reception was mainly very warm. A small handful of spectators booed Neumeier, a few more demonstrated against more demonstrated against Eschenbach: most unfairly, if oo the strength of his piano-playing. Perbaps they dis-approved of his debut in the Meyerbeer Paraphrases as an opera house conductor. I can imagine that the piece might be made to sound even more bril-liant, but be gave it pece and flexibility. Killmayer conducted his own music with eminently satisfactory results. Marco Arturo Marelli's decor

of nets rises or falls as required to suggest clouds, a stage, the mists of medoess or of time. Although the main weight of the action falls on Midinet and oo François Klaus's seositive representation of Schumann, the work calls for a large cast with many soloists, and there is not a weak link anywhere. The phony. The processional par-terns of this, the high aspiring lifts, hring a feeling of condinu-ity and serenity to close the evening.

ensemble playing of the Ham-burg Ballet, after only one season of Neumeier's direction, is already outstanding; with an ambitious schedule planned for The complex structure of the oext season, this is a company to watch.

John Percival

The roots of yoga BBC 1

Leonard Buckley

Excuse me for a moment while I unlock my beels from behind my head. Tuesday night's programme contained such assertions of physical control and such aspirations of spiritual release that you were bound to be caught up in Walter Mitty dreams that you too could sub-due the flesh. A documentary programme,

A documentary programme, however, from Hugb Burnett is not to be treated facetiously. As he showed us so brilliantly with South Africa, this is a man who likes to get to the heart of the matter. So it was this time. We were in India to see and to

From the sunlit Ganges and a quiet exposition of the Hindu faith we travelled the country to meet the people who practise yoga. Grave, handsome figures demonstrated the cardinal posinemonstrated the cardinal post-tions and we heard of the distem-pers they were supposed to dis-pel. An Indian woman doctor even maintained that the prac-tice had some of the answers— she would not claim the cure— to such diseases as diahetes.

We heard about the snake within us and an old man bade us listen to the music it could produce. That was rather disappointing. But another yogi hent metal with his eyelid, lay oo broken glass as a concrete roller and then a heavy lorry ran over him, and even held back a five-ton elephant.

It was an impressive often beautiful yet curiously inconclusive odyssey. Hugh Burnett, who produced and narrated the programme with Tony Pierce-Roberts as his cameraman certainly brought India into our living rooms. But like the manifestations of our Western spiri-tualism the circus tricks seemed oddly mundane eod io the end for all the philosophy yoga seemed no more than just another of the ways in which imprisooed Mao struggles to be

"My meditations ere so in-tense", a Western lady cooed in the ashram but you could have met her in a dozen off-heat creeds. And you were not sur-prised that the lady doctor told you that yoga was helpful with psychosometic ills. There were memorable glimpses to ha sure of the exaltation that comes to men who bave pot away carnal desires. But you will remember, too, the cheerful instructor who told his assorted clientele that the exercise on which they were aboot to embark was especially good for syphilis and gonor

Three quiet cheers

The Snowdroppers Hampstead

Charles Lewsen

Taree quiet but heartfelt cheers for Alun Richards who wrote this play and for Ronaid Lewis who played in it three years ago at the enchanting Watermill at Bagnor, and who has now kept faith and brought it to London. And now let me keep faith

with Mr Richards, telling you all I can about his enterrainment without revealing any of the incidents. Oh! Have I said entertainment "? Not the kind of word we critics like to use without a sneer; but it does do remarkably well to describe a play which tells an interesting story in a way that keeps you guessing.

It starts in a snowbound cortage in Wales, where a woman is woken up by a man stealing apples from e paper bag. And there I must leave the incidents, because I want them to take you by surprise at Hampstead or at whatever West End theatre (preferably a modestly sized one) to which the play transfers.

But this I can say: it deals which gave me groat pleasure lightly but faithfully with the sublimation of sex and filial others equel pleasure.

rebellion in politics; and it con-vincingly conveys a political creed without reserting to platform technique. It celebrates a brief victory ever impotence— "You paradised me" says the articulate but ignorant manand having brought us within spirting distance of sentimentality, blows upon us an air as chill as that which seems to be sweeping the hills outside Eric

Critchley's set. It takes account of the assumptions many of us make ebout male and female, criminal and police, and it creates its best effects by putting a banana skin beneath these assumptions. But though, armed with this reahzation, I ansicipated one of Mr Richards's first act coups, the succeeding ones took me consis-tently and pleasurably by surprise.
Mr Lewis could find more

aosurdity in the fantasies of his character, but he conveys lone-liness finely. Fiona Walker could more firmly him the feeling that breaks out so truly in the second act. With less hurry, Roger Gartland could convey the passion of his role more firmly, and the sound effects are not worthy of Roger Williams's faithful pro-

Inspiriting Schubert came, and the sustained vigour

Festival Hall

Alan Blyth

Nothing became Tuesday night's concert so much as its leave-taking, an inspiriting, whirlwind account of the finale to Schubert's C major symphony. Lawrence Foster's reading of the work had heeo enjoyable and well managed up to that point, but from the opening bars of the last movement, pulsating and expectant, it fitted the name of the symphony itself, "Great".

As a whole Foster judged night's concert so much as its

As a whole, Foster judged his templ well and such changes as he allowed himself within a movement's basic speed were always logical, but in the opening movement just a suggestion of jog-trot seemed to roh the pacing of its vitality.
Without probing quite to the
beart of the Andante con moto. be saw to it that the triple equivocal slow movement where forte climax was properly prepared and shattering when it mood throughout.

of the Scherzo was a prophet of the following movement, with the juicy double wind section providing appropriate contrast in the Trio.

If this performance of the Schubert reminded us once again how seminal it was to so

many nineteenth-century sym-phonies, particularly those of Mendelssohn and Dvorak, the programme's opening work, Samuel Barber's Medea's Meditation ond Dance of Ven-geance (daring from 1936, although the music derives from ao earlier ballet and suite) shows just how much music of that period was influenced by twen-tieth-century father figures. tieth-century father figures.
Medea in thought is reminiscent
of Ravel, in revenge of Stravinsky. Still, the score is finely
made.

The evening's soloist was Mayumi Fujikawa in Prokofiev's second violin concerto. Her sweet and elastic moe was most at home in the baunting,





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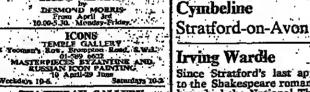
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The effect is to re-focus attention on the whole enigma of the last plays. First, the familiar fact that the quality of the poetry grows in inverse ratio to plot construction and dramatic psychology. Second, the curious feeling that at the end of his life Shakespeare was writing repeated variations on the same pattern. Loss and reunion; regeneration through the power of youth; the same elements appear again and again. Events, instead of arising from circumstance, seem set up like artificial hurdles so as to put the char-acters through a spiritual obstacle course. They are happy and clear-sighted: then some curse descends and smites them with inexplicable hlindness.

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The characters themselves seem temporary embodiments of forces that assume different shapes at different times. Poor hesotted Cymbeline, misgoverning Britain in obedience to his evil queen is a particularly obvious example. It is as though Sycorax had snbdued Prospero and taken over control of the island; promoting the enslaved and taken over control of the island: promoting the enslaved Caliban into the hrutish half-witted princeling Cloten. The Stratford production does not shed any blinding new light on the play, but it does redirect attention to the endlessly fascinating puzzle of completing the Shakespearian circle.

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Having overreached himself in his carve-up of King John, Mr Barton very correctly lists the liberties he has taken with Cymbeline. A note informs us that 820 lines heve been cut, and that the part of Corneliua the doctor has been enlarged. This is a happy stroke. The play is a fairy tale, and in Cornelius it has now ecquired a story-teller—tike Gower in Pericles—who acts as an intermediary between acts as an intermediary between the modern spectator and the fahilous events, and adapts his tone so as to prepare one for the



Susan Fleetwood

abrupt changes between pathos, horror and broad fun. He also narrates the battle scenes from stage directions while the con-quest of the Romaos is staged in slow-motion pantomime beyond an up-stage traverse. This is a distinct improvement on the scrambled confusion of the battle dialogue.

The set (by another trium-virate: John Napier, Martyn Bainbridge, and Sne Jenkinson) reverts to the empty box of the last romantic series. It contains only ona baroque surprise, a huge golden egg which descends through an astrological beaven to disclose the magnanimous Jupiter. Orberwise it operates flexibly, conjuring up a frescoed wall for Italy, or a vast bed for Iachiom's night

Realist psychology in this play in confined to Imogen and Posthumus. For the others, it is e question of taking a leap inth legend where things are said and done without explanation. done without explanation.

The most air-borne is Sheile Alleo as the king's wicked consort, a queen of hight whirling in multi-coloured plumage who reserves her most honeyed manreserves her most honeyed manner for those she plans to
destroy. Sebastian Shaw's
Cymbeline, symbolically robed
in a gilded cob-weh, is almost
unreacbably senile; but be
scores powerfully with the verse
and achieves one heautiful
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mntes bia comedy as the swaggering Cloten. Ian Richardson
and Tim Pigott-Smith secure a
well-balanced reversal in the
Iachimo-Posthumus duelswitching from languid confidence to distracted self-assertioo
as they change winning and
losing roles. There remains
Susan Fleetwood's Imogen: not
obvious casting physically, but
ntterly consistent to the limpid
openness of the role, and
superbly in command of its
broken, elegiac verse.

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broken, elegiac verse.

Racing

Snow Knight wins Derby after change of tactics

By Michael Phillips Racing Correspondent

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Soow Knight, ridden by Brian
Taylor, traiced by Peter Nelson,
at Upper Lambourn in Berkshire,
and Owned by two Canadians, Neil
and Sharon Phillips, won the 195th
running of the Derby Stakes at
Epsom yesterday by two lengths
from Imperial Prince. At 50-1,
Snow Knight was the longest priced
winner of this classic since Psidium
landed the spoils by an identical
distance in 1961.

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The well-fancied Giacometti. Who looked a picture of health in the paddock before be cantered to the start, finished third, a length hebind Imperial Prince and just in front of Bustino, who was catching the first three hand over first in the last 100 yards. But the favourite. Nonoalco, who also took my eye in the paddock and again throughout the parade, finished only a disappointing seventh. Afterwards, his rider, Yves Saint-Martin, said that he felt Nonoalco choke and gurgle at a critical stage at the foot of the hill. I must admit there were many of us watching in tha stands who did likewise.

It is difficult to say whether Nonoalco swallowed his tongue. He was certainly showing all the symptoms of having done so when he virtually pulled himself up soon after passing the post, gasping for breath and with bulging eyes.

Tony Murray complained that Giacometti failed to handle the course and added that he would be only too happy to take the winner on again on a flar, gallooing track.

only too happy to take the winner on again on a flat, galloping track. But enough of this tale of woe. In all fairness, hats off to the winner. who was unquestionably the hest horse on the day, and that, when all is said, matters most. On this occasion it mattered to the time of £89,229, a record for the race.

Snow Knight's victory was encouraging for those who caonot afford to pay extravagant prices at the sales, but one in the eye for the purists, who would have laughed the purists, who would have laughed at the suggestion if one had said yesterday that his pedigree was in keeping with the race. Show Knight is by Firestreak, a talented handicapper in his heyday, but no more than that. His dam, Show Blossom, was by a Cesarewitch winner, Flush Royal, whose name has appeared

than that. His dam, Snow Blossom, was by a Cesarewitch winner, Flush Royal, whose name has appeared in National Hunt pedigrees more often than not lo recent years, Looking back through his pedigree, one does find that his third dam, Snoberry, bred a St Leger winner, Chamossair, as well as White Honse, the dam of Hopeful Venture.

Neil Phillips, from Montreal, has had only a few horses in training in this country and none at all in Canada. He asked Major Peter Nelson and his wife to buy them a yearling two years ago "to run in the Derby". The brief was: "But don't exceed \$,000 guineas," It was Mrs Nelson who chose Snow Knight, partly because his conformation appealed to her and partly because he was by their old favourite. Firestreak, who had won the City and Suburban Handicap at Epsom for them lo 1960.

As thiogs turned oot, Mrs Nelson spent 200 guineas more than she was rold, but with what happy results. The Phillipses were so overcome yesterday by their good fortune that they admitted they did not know if they were coming or going. Snow Knight was sold when he was a yearlice hy Mr J. A. C. Lilley, who tried to buy hack an interest in the coit after he had sold him for only fractionally more than his reserve price. Bot his offer for only fractionally more than his reserve price. Bot his offer was gently but firmly turned

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Epsom programme

[Television: (IBA) 3.10, 3.40, and 4.15 races]

2.35 CAREW STAKES (2-y-o: £1,163: 6f)

3.10 CORONATION CUP (514,004 : 14m)

4.55 ROYAL HANDICAP (£1,124 : 6f)

5.30 CHIPSTEAD STAKES (3-y-o: £874: 7f)

Be Our Newmarket Correspondent 2.35 Jinnylyo. 4.15 Hysopus. 5.30 Rustic Lad.

3.40 ABBOT'S HILL HANDICAP (£1.513: 1m 110yd)

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By Our Racing Correspondent 2.0 Desert Way. 2.35 Jinnvlyn. 3.10 Dahliz. 3.40 Multiple. 4.15 Majesty. 4.35 Chin-Chin. 3.30 RUSTIC LAD is specially recommended.



Sharon Phillips, the owner, and Major Peter Nelson, the Snow Knight being led in by Mrs

Snow Knight being led in by Mrs delight was tempered by the fact that he had sold Snow Knight's dam, Snow Blossom, carryiog him, to Mr Lilley for only 1,150 guineas. McCallister bad, be told me, simply got bored of her. Boredom can be expensive, but such the seesaws of racing and breeding.

So Snow Knight eventually found his way to Nelsoo's stables in Upper Lambourn. As a two-year-old he ran Giacometti close io the Champagne Stakes at Doncaster but had been beaten in his two races this season by Bustino. On the face of that he looked a forlorn hope. But at Taylor's suggestion it was decided to change the riding tactics yesterday of all days. Hitherto, Snow Knight had been ridden from hehind. This time the plan was to make the fullest possible use of his stamina. After at first causing his connexions heart flutters when be became restless in the parade—so much so that he even unseated Taylor—Snow Kinght gradually calmed down. But in the race he was always in the van and even took up the running when there was still three-quarters of a mile left. This, Taylor admitted afterwards, was earlier than he had intended, but he felt that his colt was going so well within himself that there was no point in waiting for the supposedly faster horses in tha field to pounce.

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In fact, the race followed a strange pattern from the word go. Snow Knight, Imperial Prince and Giacometti were always in the first half dozen and they had the race to themselves from Tattenham Corner. With hindsight, it is only fair to say that Taylor's opportunism won him his first Derby. Taylor had preciously finished second in ism won him his first berby. Laylor had previously finished second in the race in 1969 op Shoemaker. The Nelsons had bad only ooe runoer in the race before, and he did not distinguish himself. Until yesterday they regarded Whistler, that brilliant sprinter, as their hest borse.

horse.

Now for the future. Snow Knight is not engaged in the Irish Derby, so he will be kept for the King George VI and Queen Elizabeth Stakes at Ascot, where the prestige of this year's turce-year-olds ground he put to the test.

Hue-Williams have two live hopes for the second half of the season. By running so well, Imperial Prince paid a vivid compliment to Jupiter Pinvius, who had beaten him so decisively at Chester. Jupiter Pinvius missed yesterday's race because, like so many of Bruce Hobbs's horses, he had been struck down by a virus. In fact, his owner. Tom Blackwell, told me afterwards that be would not hava risked him on this ground because the borse had been hothered by sore ahins throughout his two year-old career.

Mr Blackwell can reflect upon the happenings vesterday with a degree of satisfaction and think, at least, that he has a bright spark for the future. Bustino ran like a St Leger horse, as I thought he would, but as that was about my only accurate observation yesterday, it is nothing to be proud of.

Afterwards, lady Beaverbrook's racing manager, Sir Gordon Richards, told me that Bustino may well be allowed to take his chance in the Grand Prix de Paris at the end of this month.

Derby prices, places , SNOW KNIGHT, 50-1 IMPERIAL PRINCE, 20-1 GIACOMETTI, 5-2

3, GIACOMETTI, 5-2
4, BUSTINO. 8-1
TOTE: Wio, £2.94; places, 81p,
32p, 20p.
Other placings: S. Northern
Tasse; 6, Mistigri; 7, Nonoalco: 8,
Radical; 9, Court Dancer; 10, Regular Guy; 11, Slb Y Sin; 12, Arthurian; 13, Charlie Bubbles; 14, Live
Arrow; 15, Grey Thunder; 16, Barbarle Corsaire; 17, Hope of Holland;
18 and last, Grand Orlent.

Dahlia, unbeaten on her three ventures out of France last year, and chosen Racehorse of the Year lo this country because of ber soperh victory in the Kiog George VI and Queen Elizabeth Stakes at Ascot in July, will try to become the fourth filly to win the Coronation Cup since the war at Epsom today. If she wins she will be the twelfth winner of this coveled prize by a horse trained in France in the same period. Petite Etoile, in 1960 and 1961, Park Top in 1969, and Lupe in 1971 were the other fillies who triumphed on this Dahlia, unbeaten on her three

occasion.

It is necessary to turn a blind eye to Dahlia's two failures this season to fancy ber chaoce of beating the colts today. One must recall her victories in the Irish Fat.: Good to firm. Carlisis: Fland. Haydon Fat.: Good to firm.

Oaks, the Ascot race, the Washington DC International, and the way she heat Tennyson in the Prix Niel at Longchamp last September. Dahila was not berself in the Prix de l'Arr de Triomphe, in which she finished behind Buoy and Tennyson, but she recovered her poise in a glorious manner at Laurel. At her hest she ought to be capable of outpacing Tennyson and Buoy this afternoon.

Tennyson, the other challenger from France, was thought unlucky not to have won the French Derby last year. He won their great midsummer test for stayers, the Grand Prix de Parls, but the three-year-old fillies of 1973 were considered to be superior to their male counterparts and Dahlia drove this point bome at Long-champ later in the season when the toyed with Tennyson in the Prix Niel. Tennyson finished in front of her in the Prix Ganay last month, when they were both put in their place by Allez France, but I still feel inclined to forgive Dahlia for her disappointing effort that day and give her another chance.

Buoy, wearing blinkers for the Tennyson, the other challenge

Broy, wearing blinkers for the first time this season, won the Yorkshire Cup in the manner of a true stayer last month. He beat Ballyhot, and should confirm his true stayer last month. He dest BaByhot, and should confirm his superiority today. But at her best Dahlia onght to be too fast for him and she onght to be capable of outpacing Conor Pass, who won the Irish St Leger last year. Conor Pass was ridden in an enterprising way by Paul Jarman at Leopardstown last Saturday when he won the Player-Wills Stakes. This success was due, I am told, to the jockey's opportunism.

No one will be more pleased than Lady Beaverbrook to win the Rosebery Memorial Handicap, because it was the late Lord Rosebery who bought her first racebory who bought her first racebory with safternoon, is improving with every race, and his most recent effort, in the Predominate Stakes at Goodwood, puts him in the picture. He is trained hy Scoble Breasley at Epsom.

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Carlisle programme

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7.40 RASSENTHWAITE HANDICAP (3-y-o: £501: 1m) M. Goreham

8.05 WASTWATER STAKES (2-y-o : £326 : 5f) T Lapon
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By Michael Seely mexpected result of the Derby, there was an upset to the first race on the card, a five-furlong dash for on the carn, a pre-training dash for two-year-olds, the Great Surrey-Stakes. The odds-on favourite Kingshort, who inflicted a surprise defeat on the highly regarded Overtown at Kempton Park a fort-night ago, ran a lifeless race and was trailing the field from halfway. David Robinson's Shackle, well David Robinson's Shackle, well fancied to improve on his promising second to Natively at Haydock Park, was mable to cope with his far more experienced opponent, ran green, and did not act on the sharp downhill run in the first two furlongs. Entering the last quarter mile, three runners were spread in line abreast across the course. in line abreast across the course. At the distance The Gubba was just leading Mount Grace and Mr George when he edged to the right, squeezing our Mount Grace, who had to be snatched up. After The Gubba had won by a length from Mr George, with Mount Grace a short head away third, there was a stewards' linguiry, but the result was allowed in stand. The Gubba is owned by "Chummy" Gaventa, and is trained by Ron Smyth at Epsom.

Epsom.

The second two-year-old race, the Woodcote, went to Mendip Man, who made every yard of the running and bravelv held off the late challenge of Common Land. Mendip Man was hred by Jack Davis, belongs to his wife Brenda, and is trained by Clive Brittain. Mr Davis, who also bred Mon Fils, the surprise winner of last year's 2,000 Guineas, believes that his wife's colt needs more time to grow to his strength, and has decided that Mendip Man will miss Accot, as they believe Mendip Man will be a better horse in the autumn.

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The second borse, Common Land, showed signs of inexperience when first asked for his effort, but was making ground hand over fist in the last 100yd and would have won in another stride or two. Ha is a nicely made young colt, and should soon be winning. The favourite, Young Presender, ridden by Lester Piggott, was in difficulties a long way from home, and never lonked likely to justify his market position. likely to justify his market position.

Piggott, who, as well as being without a fancied ride in the Derby, had drawn a blank on his other mount earlier in the afternoon, had a welcome change of fortune when Averof won the chief supporting race on the card, the Diomed Stales ran over 1m 110yd, and worth nearly £7,393 to the winner.

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After tracking the leader in the early stages, Averof went smoothly to the front below the distance and lorged clear to win on the bridle. Averof is about the only three-year-old colt to have enhanced rather than diminished his reputation as the season has advanced. After his win in the Dea Stakes at Chester, be put up a time performance in a handicap at Sandown Park last time out, when narrowly failing to concede 12 lb to the five-year-old Rascolnik. His fluent success here endorsed the fact that he is a fast-improving colt, who cannot now be considered much behind the best of his age group. After tracking the leader in the

considered much behind the best of bis age group.

Averof belongs to Captain Lemos, a Greek shipowner, and was a second training success of the afternoon for Clive Brittain, who was addling a winner at Epsom for the first time. Brittain has long considered that Averof, whose time of Imin 41.48sec broke the existing course record, will stay the 10 ing course record, will stay the 10 this is the colt's next objective.

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Spring Stone, second to Sea Prince in last year's Dally Mirror Handleap, reversed the tables yesterday when be beat Owenboliska by half a length, with Sea Prince a length away third. A five year-old bay gelding trained by Peter Walwyo, Spring Stone is as game as they come.

Epsom results

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Three remaining seeds stand firm

Golf Correspondent

By Peter Ryde
Golf Correspondent

The three remaining seeds in the British amatear golf chambionship stood their ground yesterday as the last 32 were decided. Travor Homer and Hugh Strart won twice. Stoort rather uncertainty against Rodney James, the Midland golfer, and then much more convincingly against Wight, the son of a former Scottish champion. Homer played as well as he had to and was, not down at any stage of the day.

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John Davies, the third seed, appeared waith against Garry Harvey, a 19 year old Scot who won the looys' championship two years ago after being runner-up the year ago after being for a baif. But this is only in the form five feet for the half, while at the seventh Davies again came our of the bunker dead for a baif. But this is only of the runner-up having stoyes form of attack in marchplay and rurned rwo up having holed from the edge of the eighth year.

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Davies was at his best after the
turn. His four at the 10th was
straight as a die, and from the
right rough at the 15th he pinched
to within a yard to square the ustch
with a birdie. His opponent regained
the lead with e birdie at the 12th

and Davies marrowly missed another at the 13th. The next two were haived in fours. Devies having rather the bener of it as the 14th and harder in bener of it as the 14th and harder in the bener of it as the 14th and harder and lost the hole. At the 18th Harvey missed from benery from Royal Musselburgh bener the bunker off the 17th tee hit his second to a few feer to hold the lead for the first time. But the way, who had played solidly all the way, who had played solidly all the way, wat nor finished. After Davies had bunkered his drive, he hit two on to the 18th green to take the match on. For the second tima Davies wou at the 19th, with a four, but this time he deserved a good deal more treds: If he can screw hintself to the task and maintain that form he has a great chance to reach the finish per than there has a great chance to reach the finish but there had the consistently high performance to reach the finish that there had the table on Rou after a wonderful drive down the after a wonderful drive hole.

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In the seedless first half there is quite a strong English flavour. There are six in the top quarter of eight, the other two being Stors. Buther, one of them, meris Hedges this morning for a pisce in the last 16, and if he wins he will be in the same position that his father. Melville, was 20 years ago here in the same event. A good fight is in prospect for both players are in form. Hedges got started sheors without knowing it against Miller. He thought he had a put to halve the fourth but when he had boled it found this Miller had raken two mundiced below the bank which gave Hedges the lead. He then holed his bunker shot at the fifth to go two ap and mrued three up. Miller was mable to produce the institut that that had taken him to victory against the holder. He falled from

Yesterday's scores at Muirfield

Second round:

H. Grimelick (Moor Park) best S. R. Lung (Moseley), Janel 2. Truner (NZ) best D. B. Mackle of Wood), 2 holes. Skentoure (Brazil) best R. Gramson Falkenburg (Brazil) best R. Craisson-(US), 3 and 1. Taylor IS Africa) best W. L. Oliver (US), 6 and 5. N. Floring (High Pour) best E. A. E. Oulum (Qualitatia), 5 and 4. J. Rabinos (Kinestone's best P. Wilson J. Rabinos (Kinestone's best P. Wilson

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Among other strong contenders for Wimbledon he listed New-combe, Smith, Kodes Nastase, Rosewall, Borg, Agine ("I have e lot of respect for Arthur's game"), Metreveli ("maybo he is some times a little underrared"), and Okker ("he could surprise a lot of players").

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J. T. McChat (W. Khipide), beat A. K.
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W. E. McChas (Wilson Reach) hear G. D.
Schafer (Garleston), 4 and 3.
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C. L. Wood (Duddingston) beat A. D.
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Third round

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Miller (Cawder), 3 and 2.

M. B. Bocher (Elle) best J. N. Rowberry

(R. Mirselburgh), 2 and J.

J. C. Ward (Worplesdon) best C. T.

Brown (Elandreino Macriel, 2 holes.

H. Changler (Edition Cold Linica) best

F. Teverne (Crohart Firms), 2 and J.

S. B. D. Eyler (Friffort Heach) best M. S.

J. McEssin (Misselburgh), 6 and 5.

A. McEssin (Misselburgh), 6 and 5.

A. McLary (Lambit) best D. McCarthy

Gloorcown, 2 holes,

G. C. Marte, (Troubiam) best A. Harvey

Clongiddry), 5 and 4.

C. M. McChill (City of Newcaste) wo P.

Dechte (Almount), 5.

To put him well ahead.

Eyles's progress so far echoed in strokeplay events this year. He meets today another youngste Martin Poxon who jointly woo the Midland Amateur this year. The other winner was Lyle who late joined him and who at the age of the first David Robertson, are the propagest will in the championship.

if, with David Robertson, are the youngest still in the championship. Robertson beat king by wimm the last three holes in par figures. With the defeat of Reg Taylor who played here 20 years ago, Dreyeremains the only South Africa; out of seven. He is a formidable site and looks as strong as a bull, as a glance at his vast hands would confirm. After Sundelson he has better record than anyone is that country, is a past winner of their amatur, championship, and has been a tower of strength in

Third quarter Minim quarter.

MOMER beat Francis. 4 and 3.
E. N. Davies beat Paterson.

Turner beat Drimedick; at the Paterson beat Taylor. 3 and Mainer beat Gordon. 3 and 1.

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The results of the followid marches, completed on Tuesdan evening, were received too late function in our early edition vesterday:

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in better condition than it was this week.

Vaughan, who, on the advice of Dai Rees, with whom he played in a practice round, was making more use of his legs on the follow through, also returned a 53, as did Swaelens and McTear. A reconciliation has this week taken place between McTear and the graphite

Wood swings into right rhythm on the day

By Lewine Mair

Having thrashed everything our to the right in his practice round on Tuesday, Norman Wood, to his relief, opened with a gentle hook in the first round of the Martini golf tompament at Pannal yesterday.

Our in a level par 35, the Trysar-old Scot came home in a four-nuder-par 32 to equal, the course record and to lead the field.

"My rhythm", Wood admitted, "hat Sp had seemed "very easy" troud this course in a mere and present the pressure of an actual townsment to get my kinding going."

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going."
Wood picked up three of his four shots on the 10th and 11th. At the 140 yards 10th he punched a six fron to 20th and holed for his two, and at the 479-yard 11th he ran the ball in from 30 yards for an eagle after he had reached the green with a drive and three wood.

Caygill, who won two youth championships at Pannal and who was the club assistant professional championships at Pannal and who was the club assistant professional championship, was the club assistant professional championship, was from 1952 to 1954, was round in 68, having excelled with his irons to the green. Caygill was adamant that he had never seen the course in better condition than it was his week.

Vaughan, who, on the advice of Dal Rees, with whom he played in

accept, the explained, that I'm simply not supple enough to do this."

Cowen has flattened his swing—something which will, he feels, take some of the pressure off his back—and this winter is to have the vertebrar fused at the base of his

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Dawson, L. A. Owens, S. Otten,
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D. K. Welster, K. F. Dabson,
Walker, P. Townsend.

Tennis

Connors wants to get on grass now By Reg Bellamy

Tennis Correspondent Tennis Correspondent
James Connors, of Los Angeles,
aged 21, is one of those engaging
tennis players with an infectiously
bovish test for the game. With
typically restlient good spirits, the
Australian and South African
champion has quickly begun to
realize the potential advantages of
heing barred from the French
championships, which began yesterday on the clay courts of
Roland Garros. Comnors is in
Manchester for the Northern tour-Roland Garros. Commors is in Manchester for the Northern tournament, sponsored by the Refuge Assurance Company. He said yesterday: "I would like to have played in Paris. But getting on rograss now is important.

"My Mom talked to Pancho Segura and he told her I should get on to grass if I dhin't get to Paris. I'm having two weeks on grass before Nottingham—with \$100,000 [\$440,000], that's a big tournament—and three weeks before Wimbledon.

"The first year I played Wimbledon, I won Nottingham and Queen's Club and got to the quarters at Wimbledon. I was so hot: but I ran into Nastase and he was even

Wimbledon, I was so hot: bur I ran into Nastase and he was even hotter. I haven't played a big tournament for a while, since the US indoor circuit finished. So I will be a little more cager than I would have been if Td played Rome or Paris." Looking ahead to Wimbledon he said: "To win on grass, or win any long tournament, you have to have a bit of lock. It depends who's getting the break."

Among other strong contenders

players ').
Comors's immediate problems'
are less weighty. Only six singles'
matches got on court (and none
finished) before rate washed out play at Manchesser, such to the distaste of Connors's schoolgirl supporters. But Ball, of Australia, is looking forward to playing him again in the semi-final round.

Chilean youngster keeps Amritraj at full stretch

Parts. June 5.—Vijay Amritraj of India, who reached the quarter final round. at Wimbledom and parts: fills hist year, came close to defeat in the first round of the French tennis championships here today. Amritraj at grayed timough 5—7. 7.—5. 6—3 agrifunt an 18-year-old Chilesu, Beins Prajoux.

The Indian fried to rush the ner but Prajoux passed him time and agrifus. Amritraj made. too many matakes and dropped the first set of the company of the compan Zednik (Czechoslovskia) besi G. Thorry (Amurpila) 6-6. 6-1; T. Gorman (US) 7. Velasto (Colombia), 6-1; T. Gorman (US) 7. Velasto (Colombia), 6-1; T. Borthes (Francis) 6-2; F. Barthes (Francis) 6-3; F.



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I Correspondent e. June 5

ad completed their tour of Europe unbeaten after a reative match here in the ration and the ration match here in the ration in the ration and rational ra nt with a deep, passionate Slavie! Slavie is Slavie in the state of the slavie of the nt with a deep, passionate. Slavie! Slavie!

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Savia are a beautiful team,
adds to the England pere. At the end, however, the
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t missed promotion, on the day of the season and o Milwall ar Old Trafford second game. Millwall are to Sunderland at the Deu

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rebound.

After 23 minutes Dzajic crossed from the left, Watson headed ont, Bell made a tiny mistake and in a flash there was Surjak to pick up the ball on the right, cross to the far post for Petkovic to head in. There it stayed at 1—1 mult the property of the property

Seven infinites after the change of ends Watson headed out from his penalty area, the ball reached Oblak, who taking a bow at a veniure, let fly an arrow from a full 30 yards which went to the top corner of Clemence's net. It might have gone into the Mediterranean. Instead it went to the heart of Problems and Transport Vinceland and the Mediter. ranean. Instead it went to the heart of England and pur Yugoslavia 2—1 ahead. With a uparter of an hour to go England equalized. Lindsay backheaded from Hughes, Macdonald nodded on and there was Keegan to dive in with a brave header for the equaliser.

The final stroke within the dying minute saw Macdonald, who had replaced Worthington midway through the second half, take a long through the second half, take the ball left past the post. Football can be both judge and jury. Had that gone home it would have been

itcular for our next serious chailenge—the European championship which begins next autumn.

The first goal came after only six minutes when a corner by first minutes and reached Brooking. Brooking's shot was blocked his fluttering left foot, once in the on the line, but there was Chamnon, sharp as a needle, to knock in the on the line, but there was Chamnon, sharp as a needle, to knock in the rebound.

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ap front were other Slav danger points.

For England, Todd, Watson and Bell were splendid, the first two sealing the gaps, the other once more covering every hlade of grass. Dobson and Brooking searched diligently without always finding, but Keegan, the centre of events earlier, played his heart out, collecting every stray ball for free kick or throw-in clearly to become a favourite of the crowd. Almost with a sense of justice it was he who saved England with the last goal. Yet for me there remains one England player who possesses something special. He is Channon, who again worked his way through the tightest of situations like a gimlet. Channon has something. YUGOSLAVIA: E. Mark: ? Krwokaca (mb. E. Haddstelle). I. Bullan. V. Bogiereic. J. Kratimett. D. Marinel lank. E. Balwich. J. Arthoric. B. Obisk. 1. Surjak. J. Arthoric. D. Doalic.

ENGLAND: R. Channon (Liverpool) 1 E.

Bremner in the

Scottish squad

Break in weather favours England By Juhn Weodcock Cricket Correspondent

Fanciful though it would have seemed only five years ago, it is now high time for England to take a Test series off India again. They have lost the last two, first at home and then away. India, on the other hand, with victories against West Indies and New Zealand to be taken into account, have not lost a series since soine down to Australia. ies since going down to Australia in 1969/70.

In spite of all this, England should win the series which begins today at Old Trafford. Por one thing the optimism engendered towards the end of their tour in the West Indles lives on. That was a great triumph at Port of Spain For another, the conditions are more likely to favour England. And really, for all their recent record, the Indians have not often looked a winning side since their arrival six weeks ago. In spite of all this England six weeks ago.

Yesterday it must have sickened them to see the drought broken on the very eve of the series. More the very eve of the series. More than any other country, they are

wet-weather cricket; yet alter one of Manchester's driest spring, it started to rain there early yearer day afternoon, and to rain hearily. India had had a morning practice. England, however, who always am to get to the nets up mile Manchester. to get to the nets in mid-afterneon, had to cancel theirs, and Arnold had to postpone his fitness lest until this morning.

With only 42 runs in four ingings against them this summer, Boycett has a scure to settle with the Indians. Solkar, little more than a makeshift bowler, has had him three times. Edrich is another who will want to start the series well, his first for two years. But no-one stands to gain more by a good English performance then Denness.

If he and the side do well against If he and the side do well against lodia the odds will shorten considerably of his getting the captainty in Australia. In the coming weeks people in England will be able to judge for themselves his capainty for the job. There are four other county captains in the side—Bovcott, Edrich, Fletcher and Greig—so that Denoess will not

want for advice when he needs it. In the West Indies he could have made more of Boycott's counsel. in, though, which he is not especi-ally good at doing.

Having been to India on MCC's last four there, and played in all five Test matches, Denness will

know what he is up against now. We can expect some fine spin bowling, for one thing. It is this most of all which has accounted for Presarna is expected to be loft out, presents is expected to be lott out, though if the rain continues, as they were saying resterday it would, this may be changed. Certainly the chances of Chandra Sekher finding a pitch to sharpen his most dangerous weapon, his bounce, have been lessened by the break in the weather. The pitch, of course, is covered. It citch, of course, is covered. it is also drier than the groundsman might have wanted. He was talking if it dusting by the weekend, which would have suited the Indians; but that was in the expectation of the drought continuing.

lodia's close fielding, at any rate when the spinners are bowling, is sore to be a factor. This, too, has had a lot to do with their succession bas Wadekar's inscrutable captaincy, and Abid's knack of getting good wickets with the new ball at an amintle pace, and Engineer's spirited all-round cricket, and the hatting of Viswanath and Garaskar, both game and gifted. It is a good test for England, but one which test for England, but one which they should be up to.

they should be up to.

ENGLAND (from): M. H. Deoness (Kemt) captain. D. L. Amiss (Warwickshire), G. Boycor: (Yorkshire), I. H. Edrich (Surrey), K. W. R. Fletcher (Essex), A. W. Grelg (Sussex), A. P. E. Knott (Kent), C. M. Old (Yorkshire), J. A. Birkenshaw (Leicestersbire), R. G. D. Willis (Warwickshire), D. L. Underwood (Kent), G. G. Arnold (Surrey).

INDIA (prohable): A. L. Wadekar (captain), S. Gavaskar, E. D. Sulkar, G. R. Viswaoath, B. P. Paiel, F. M. Engineer, S. Madan Lal, S. Ahid Ali, S. Venkataragbatan, B. S. Bedt, B. S. Chandrasekhar.

Rowing Jesus eight displace Head crew

The key to this year's Head crew in the Combridge May Races lies between Lady Marcaret (LMBC) and Pembroke in today's race. In the first day of racing resterday the the first one of the least of the Head crew. First and Third Trinity, were dethroned by the Jesus cight. LMBC rowed over in third place, almost carching the Jesus crew be-lore they humped First and Third Trinity to go Head. Pembroke, with

Today's interest lies in whether LMBC can catch First and Third Trinity to take second place before Pembroke overhaul them. If Pembruke fail, and this seems likely, their ambitions to become Head of the River at the end of Saturday's facing will almost certainly have failed. To achieve their aim, Pem-broke storoing from fifth position, have to overhauf a crew on each of the four days of racing this week.

in & led TRINITY LMBC EMBLANUEL PEMBLOKE ST CATRARINES PITZWILLIAM CLARE IRINITY HALL In company with Murray he had then put on 80 runs in 23 overs. Barlow had been slow to start, scorning just seven runs to his first hour at the crease. But the second hall of his innings was different and we had some powerful hitting, with the left hander dancing down the pitch device and pulling the JESUS II 19 & 3rd TRINITY II 19 & 3rd TRINITY II PETERBOUSE KING'S CLARE II CORPUS with the left hander dancing down the pitch, driving and pulling the slow bowlers. In the 86th over he came out to meet Simmons once again and pulled him to the Mound Stand for four. Two halls later with a hell century in ms sights Barlow obarged to meet the bowler for the last time, the hall zooming skywards over mid-on where Wood, who had a bright, burning sun to contend with, held his catch. Lancashire's fielding had heen one of the more memorable SIGNEY SUSSEX . TRINITY HALL, II . PEMRAOKE ti ... EYMANCEL R ... ST CATHARINES II Lancashire's fielding had heen one oi the more memorable features of the day with Wood's carch to go with four more ul merit, and a smart pick up and throw from Snellgrove which ran out Breariey Irom a no ball bowled by Lever. M. J. Smith, cana b Simmors. CHI CHILL II QUEENS II QUEENS II COSPUS II SELWYN II TRINITY HALL III CARUS II CATUS II SIDNEY SUSSEX D . ST CATRARDE'S IN EMMANUEL III LIMBE IV PETERROUSE II OUBEENS' III CHURCIIILL III FITZWILLJAMIII CLABE IV SELVYN III OARVIN WOLFSON CHURCHILL IV LIE & JICT TRINITY V CORPUS III LIMBE I ST CATHARINES IV MAGOALENE III LMBC VII PENEROKE IV MAGOALENE IV LMBC VIII Ist & 3rd TRINITY VI QURENS' IV EMMANUEL IV EMMANUEL IV CHURCHELL V SCLWYN IV SIONEY SUSSEX III CHRIST'S IV ST CATRARINE'S V NIJG'S III DOWNING IV LABEC IX LMBC EX CORPUS FY CLARE V ST CATHARINES VI

Storey's century leads Surrey recovery

The morning was commandingly, but, as it turned out, delusively attractive, like a fairy woman of the Hebrides or a call by Boycott. Where better could one be, I thought, as I contemplated the pretry Chesterfield ground in the beaming sunshine? How foolish I was not to take off my pullover.) The Surrey captain, who had won the toss, on a plumb pitch, against a Derbyshire side deprived, for one reason or another, of nearly half its regular players, including both its opening bowlers, must have been equally happy as he contemplated a score of 300 for two by tea.

When tea time tame, however, the sun had vanished, a birner wind was hlowing, and it was raining. (Poolish I was not to have brought my overcoat.) Surrey had then

(Poolish I was not to have brought my overcoat.) Surrey had then scored 249 for seven, and had been in peril of scoring many fewer. A century by Storey, after they had been reduced to 76 for five, led their recovery, and a bold last wicker stand completed it.

Edwards and Howarth scored at a run a minute for the first half hour, looking full of runs, hut Howarth was howled by Stevenson for 22, and Roope after hatting for a quarter of an hour, was also bowled by Stevenson, for nought. This precipitated a collapse, before first Jackman and then—with a good deal of luck—Intikhah helped Storey in the rebuilding. Storey

good deal of luck—infikman neipea Storey in the rebuilding. Storey often hit across the line, but his eye and judgment were sure. In the brief period of play possible after tea, when conditions were difficult for the fielding side, Surrey

By Alan Gihson
CHESTERFIELD: Surrey have scored 346 runs for nine wickets
The morning was commandingly.
The morning was commandingly, and the state of the state after all.

Derbyshire had become rather demoralized by this time, and had put down a number of catches, but their earlier efforts, on a pitch that never olfired much to the bowlers despite the chanting weather, were creditable. Russell, who has returned to county cricket looking a livelier bowler than he nised to be, had a successful day; but it was Stevenson who produced the most interesting performance.

His pace is nearly fast, and he

His pace is nearly fast, and he maintains it for a long time. He has a good huild for the joh, with full shoulders and bottom, and he walks back to his mark, and even to walks back to his mark, and even to his place at third man, as if he camed wait to get on with the game. He is 23 years old, born io Derby, developed through the local league, in his first season with the county. "We've found a howler", said one venerable spectator to another, as they plodded away in the raio, and I expect he was right.

SURREY | Fort 1

FALL OF WICKETS 124, 2-12, 3-50, 0-1, 5-2, 6-111, 228, 1-21, 9-23 HERBYSHIRE I L. G. Rowe, A. J. Borngton, A. J. Harrey-Walter, J. M. Ward, J. B. Bolto, G. Willer, R. W. Taslow, W. Swarbrook, P. P. Russell, A. Stevenson, C. J. Turniciline.

Hostility of Herman too much for Sussex

BOURNEMOUTH: Sussex, with six

Oslo, June 5.—Bremner and Johnstone, who were involved in an hotel bar incident here an Sunday, were among 14 players selected by William Ormond, the Scotland manager, for their World Cup warm up match against Norway here tomorrow (kickoff 6.0 BST); Mr. Ormond said he would announce his line-up just before the match, which is Scotland's final trial before they meet Zaire in their first World Cup tie in Dorimund oo June 14. The Sussex batsmen predictably found the hostility of Herman and Roberts too much for them yesterday evening in the closing stages. Between two stoppages for drizzle the fast howiers managed to extract bounce and pace from turk which earlier had given the impression of lacking both. It was a said break. meet Zaire in their livst World Cup tie in Dortmund oo June 14. SCOTLAND SELECTION: J. Storant Kil-munocki; W. Jandier (Rangers), W. Breener (Leck, United, captain), D. McGrain (Celific, J. Hollow (Mandater United), G. McChee, Check, United, M. Suchan (Manchester United), D. Bay (Celific, K. Duldin) (Cetter), earner had given the impression of lacking both. It was a sad break-down for Sussex, who earlier had done well by bowling ont Hampshire for 306, which was more than at one time seemed likely.

at the time seemed likely.

Roberts was the name on everyone's lips between the two innings but it was Herman who took the first two wickets. In successive overs he had Geoffrey Greenidge caught behind and bowled Griffith as the hutsman played back. Then in the fourteenth over Roberts took wickets with his first and fourth balls. A fine diving catch by Stephenson sent hack Motley before Buss was leg-hefore.

Before all this excitement it had heen an innings of \$1 not out by

Before all this excitement it had heen an innings of \$1 not out by Sainsbury with varying degrees of support that finally had ensured Hampshire their four batting points. For 56 overs it was the true Sainsbury, the faded blue cap pulled well down, the crouched stance and the runs coming with pulls and deflections. To pulls, nudges and deflections. To connoisseurs of Sainshurv his 32 singles were as memorable as his seven fours.

singles were as memorable as his seven fours.

Hampshire were 221 fur six with 75 overs gone when Sainsbury was joined by Nigel Cowley, who was one year old when Sainshury first played for Hampshire. And it was Cowley now, making his first sppearance, who swung his bat stylishly and provided the necessary spur. A local product who has come up through the ranks of the Hampshire staff. Cowley is being played for his off spin bowling. His 36 runs, huwever, were both creditable and valuable before he hit across the line seainst Spencer.

It was Spencer who, before lun-It was Spencer who, before Inn-cheon, dispissed Turner and Gil-liat in successive overs after the two left-handers had threatened

to cut loose. Gilliat, trusting to his eye, hit 60 in 22 overs. He is an inselfish and attractive hastman in this mood and currently is leading his team very much from the froot. One of Gilliat's strokes sent a hall from Waller for six into the vicinity of the mayoral tent at long on. Turner oever conreyed the same confidence and, curiously, mether did Gordon Greenidge, who was beaten through the air by Burs. not Richards. At his best Richards exudes a certain disdain for the bowling. On this occasion he seemed to be concentrating herd and lacked some of his usual fluency and was held at backward square leg, sweeping.

with the slow bowlers used pre-dominantly, the Sussex over rate was remarkehle with above 20 an hour being reached in the minning and 25 an hour in the afternoon. Tea was taken at the fall of the eighth wicker with 97.4 overs bowled and it seems a pity the regulations do not permit the inter-val to be delayed. As it was, the innings ended four balls after tea and there was then the usual 10-minner break.

HAMPSHIRE; First Innings
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Turner, h Spencer
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SUSSEX: Plast Innrugs

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vs. W. Mansell, J. A. Snow, C. E. Waller, L. Spencer, U. C. Joshi to bal, FALL OF WICKETS 1—19, 2—26, 3—31, 4—31 Umplies O. G. L. Evens and A. G. I. Whitehead.

Barlow makes suitable first impression for Middlesex

By Peter Marson

LGRD'S: Lansashre, with mne first innings wickets in hand, are 233 runs benind Middlesex It was not enactly a riproaring lay, vesterday, when Middlescx day, yesterday, when Middlesex used up the greater part of a warm, sunuv mornine and afternoon scoring 285 runs for six wickets from a hundred Lancastrian overs. was it a day when you could say that his part or that had been better than the next. Nevertheless a certain optimism bung about in a sticky heat and there were moments when Smith, Radley, Barlow and, later, Murray, seemed poised to lift the match from its meandering and rather uninteresting course.

Alas, these four had been cut down some way frum the buodred we had hoped for, and on a pitch that was shy and nncommitted neither Lever's nor Shuttleworth's pace, nur the speed of Simmons, nor the slow left-arm bowling of Hughes could inflict great damage or induce confusion in Middlesex's

So it was to be an uneventful day. Middlesex collected three points for hatriog, and Laocashire the same for bowling. Smith made 50 for the second time this season and for the second time this season and Radley passed a half ceotury for the third time. Murray, having shrugged off his first hall from Lever, which had hit him a resounding blow upon the head, made 43, and Barlow, who made 45, reached a new milestone, albeit a modest one, his highest score. This was Parlowic first match for monest ooe, his highest score. This was Barlow's first match for Middlesex. A former student at Loughborough Colleges, for whom he played rughy football, Barlow, 24, had made a suitable impression by the ome he got out. That was at 228 when he was the sixth wicker of all.

Gloucester v Essex

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R. Mostley, not out

A. Jones, c Cook, h Sariraz

R. Mostley, not out

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FALL OF WICKETS 1-47, 2-55, 3-86, 4-108, 5-112, 6-124, 7-163, 7-164. BOWLINE: Dye, 23--52-3; Saritate 25,1-5-7,-5. Grillibs, 14-2-2-1 Wat 4 10-4-18-1 NORTHAMPTONSHIRE: First Inalogs

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Umpires: A Jepson and H Varnold

Glamorgan v Worcester

FALL OF WICKLI'S: 1-4, 2-199, 5-199, Umpires J G. Langridge and C. G.

Minor counties 1.1:IILOW: Somerset, 124 and 95 (D. York) for 15, T. Bradler 4 for 341; Strupshire, 193 and 30 for 2. Stropshire won by eight wickets WISBCCII: Bedfordshire, 159 ili Swart 6 log 361, Cambridgeshire, 154 lor 7 iJ. Smith 5 lor 30

LANCASHTRE! First Innings Wood, not out L. Smillgrove, c Murray, b Edmonck Smirnors, not out Extras (1-b 2) FALL OF WICKET: 1-41.

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tton and Uttley in British Isles team

iael, of Scotland, at prop in the British Isles rugby play South Africa in the ternational match of the Newlands here on Saturday. ed capably against the at Goodwood yesterday. o and Utiley apart, the team he expected lines. Brown ther McBride at lock (they ogether there for the Lions

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han and Milliken are the
l duo, in spite of the strong
of Evans and Berglers
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stand-off half, Old, will
further part in the tour
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and underwent an operahis left knee today. his left knee today.

Lions' manager, Alon said a replacement would n from Britain as soon as commitments; but now

(Ireland).
Mr Thomas said the team were very sad to have lost Old, who suffered a torn ligament. "He was cheerful when we saw him this morning and he has been in touch with his family." He is expected to stay in South Africa for at least As expected, Eastern Province's right-head prop forward, Marais, will captain the South African side.

to stay in South Africa for at least another fortnight. Ho scored e world record of 37 points against South-western Districts at Mossel Bay last week and his goalkicking will be badly missed by the Lions. In the South African side perhaps the biggest surprise is the decision to play the Western Province combination of Roy McCallum at scram half and Snyman at stand-off. McCallum was not included in yesterday's final trial, and Snyman had e poor match. Snyman missed several kickable penalty goals last Saturday, when the Lions best Western Province 17—8.

Pope, a wing threequarter, who

the Lions best Western Province 17—8.

Pope, a wing threequater, who has obviously been picked because of his good form for Western Province against the Lions, is another unexpected choice. He had e poor trial and his place had been widely expected to go to Vogel (Oranga Free State), who has been playing consistently well in inter-provincial matches.

Perhaps the Northern Transvant strum half, de Vos, would have been chosen if he had not suffered a bad groin injury during the trial.

se are not as heavy as he a bad groin injury during the trial.

will captain the South African side. He has already met the Lions unce this season—when they beat Eastern Province 28—14 in a match marred by fighting on the pitch. Another man the Lions will have to watch is the South-West Africa flank forward, Ellis, who played a prominent part when his side put np surprisingly tongh resistance against the Lions before going down 16—23.

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SOUTH AFRICA: L. McCallum (Western Province); G. Muller (Transvaal), P. Whipp (Western Province), J. Oosthuizen (Western Province); D. Snyman (Western Province); D. Snyman (Western Province); T. Sauerman (Transvaal); P. van Wyk (Northern Transvaal); J. Marais (Eastern Province, captain), J. Williams (Northern Transvaal), J. de Klerk (Transvaal); B. Coetzee (Western Province), M. du Plessis (Western Province), J. Ellis (South West Africa).

BRITISH ISLES: J. P. R. Williams (Mestern Province)

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BRITISH ISLES: J. P. R. Williams; W. C. C. Steele, I. R. McGeechan, R. A. Milliken, J. J. Williams; P. Bennett, G. O. Edwards; J. McLauchian, R. W. Windson, F. E. Cotton, W. J. McBride (captain), G. L. Brown, R. M. Uttley, T. M. Davies, J. F. Slattery.—Reuter.

Second success

Charles Williams achieved his

inps (150 miles) in the 36min Sec. for an average speed of 94.16 mph. He snatched a half-minute lead on

for Williams

Motor cycling

Fine spell by Turner

A fine spell after lunch by Turner, the Essex seam bowler, tumbled out Gloocestershire for only 184 on a grassy wicket at Bristol yesterday. Turner took five for 22 in nine overs and the home county could only manage one batting point.

Headley shared in a stand of 193 with Ormrod and struck a fine six and 17 fours in 154 minutes.

the first time this summer when they made 307 for seven declared against Warwickshire at Coventy. In 45 minutes before rain ended play early, Warwickshire reached 25 for one.

Nortinghamshire lost their upeners in a spelt of two for nine by Alan Smith, but Raudall, dropped before scoring, initiated a recovery with nine boundaries. before heing run out for 81. He was involved in a stand of 185 with Smedley, who then took over to make 118 not out with 14 fours in three and a half hours. His stand with Hare (36) produced 93 io 80 minutes against an Ineffective spin attack.

A hard struggle, latgely coo trolled by the faster bowiers, ended with Northamptonshire 171 behind Somerset with all their wickets intact at Taunton, Jim Griffiths, a fast houset appearing in his first county game, claimed Close as his first wicket and, despite a hrisk 25 from Denning, Somerset col-lapsed to 124 for six in 52 overs Cartwright and Breakwell did well to add 39 in 10 overs.

Cambridge University, after a dreadful start when they lost both openers with the score on elgin, recovered to total 205 egainst Kent at Fenner's.

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F. J. W. Jackson, D. Graham

B. Russell, D. Cowdry

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Total
FAL: OF WICKETS: 1—8, 2—8, 3—62, 4—9a, 5—110.6—132, 7—15B, 8—165, 9—193, 10—207

80WING: Graham, 17.5—7—60—5.
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Boomer, 9—6—16—1: Rowe, 11—5—1—4.
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A European under-22 hockey championship is to start next year

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A last wicket stand of 37 between Mortimore and Davey affected Turner's figures and be finished with five for 74. second successive victory in the Isle of Man TT races when he won the lightweight class yesterday. Riding a Japanese Yamain motorcycle, Williams completed the four

Gloncestershire, put in to bat. collapsed after a promising start in which Knight hit a hright 48 and Milton scored 27. Essex, left with half an hour to bat between showers, managed 14 off seven overs for the loss of Hardie.

Worsetswhire's opening bats. Worcestershire's opening bats-man Ron Headley scored a faultless 118 against Glamorgan as his county dictated the exchanges at Cardiff.

six and 17 fours in 154 minutes.

Rain stopped pley for two bours
20 minutes during the afternoun.

This was a pity for these were
two batsmen who had looked
ready to take complete control.

Ornorod finally went when he
was canght bahind off Williams
for 81, lucinding nine fours. At
the close Worcestershire were 246
for three off 78 overs, earning for three off 78 overs, earning two batting points.

After heavy rain took 80 minutes from play, another collapse preceded a remarkable last wicket stand of 42 in five overs between Junes, who hit a six and three fours in his highest county score, and

Smedley's first ecotory of the season helped Nottinghamshire to collect maximum batting points for Second XI competition

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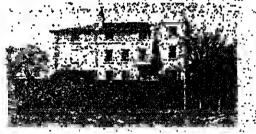
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can't, teach. Leachings by no means the refuge of the non-doer, and besides. Fve never thought there was any special virtue in doing. After all, you can "do" badly." Nor does he accept the view that it's impos-sible to he hoth performer and since to ne norn performer and scholar, since analysis destroys inspiration. That's rantamount to saying that you shouldn't know your friends properly for fear of not liking them any more, or not learn to cook in case it spoils the pleasure of eating. Nothing good in life is hurr by a little art and understanding."
He enjoys teaching. "It gives
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show off and it's considered e show off and it's considered e perfectly proper activity, though his real pleasure comes from research. Currently he's working an maniscripts made for Pope Leo X in the early sixteenth century and stored in the Varican library. There's something especially fascinating about handwritten sources, though Renaissance music was though Renaissance music was



Vatican, nor a guy to send shivers down your spine exactly; hnt when you're dealing with mannscripts by Bacb or Schubert you definitely do get that feeling. The first time I held a Bach autograph in my hands, my reaction was almost disappointment; ir was just another piece of paper, rather poor quality paper at that, but then it suddenly hit me, he actually wrote those notes. Though he won't be playing any more Joplin concerts, his days as a performer, he hopes, aren't altogether at an end. "Conducting interests me most. I have worked in that area.

rather obscurely, with a Renai sance repertoire which I hope to follow up: Some of the symphonic literature spoeals to me, 00, though I'm not interested in phonic though I'm not interested in the usual diet of concert pieces. Brahms I like, Mozart, stuff like thet. It's a matter of liking a piace so much that I want to be involved with it, want to hear e performance that corresponds to my own idea of the piece. If I heard a lot of performances that did that I wouldn't bother to do it myself. I'm simply not ambitious personally, in that direction."

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agrees that there nothing that he can do to make nothing that he can do to make schools conform to any given standard. All ARELS can do is to take a nudging role—for instance, we review tha salaries of as many of the schools as agree to fill in our question-naires (last year about half did) and then circulate the results, hopiog this will prod them into paying hetter."
But it is not really the position

concern. It is the position of schools who choose not to he inspected—and cannot he forced to-such as the Berlitz School of Lenguages, where the present moves to torm a union started

moves to form a union started a couple of weeks ago.

A Berlitz teacher, more often that country for less that a pear to an oot a graduate, and always teaching his native language, teaching his native language, to complete the start that begins a solution of the pear to see what happens next hefore they comment.

All that Berlitz would say that it has just applied to the Pay Board tor a 6 per cent rise which would bring the basic ployment. And there is alweys lesson rate up to 70p. But on ing."
It was to my 10 put a stop to what they saw as a fast expanding business thet could quickly turn into a racket that the British Council, in the middle 50's, davised a system of recognition. davised a system of recognition.
The Department of Education and Science agreed to send inspectors into any school which asked for them, and to "recognize" those that came up to a certain standard. Out of this came the Association of Recognized English Language Schools (ARELS) which today has 55 members, most of whom are solely in the business of teaching Eoglish as a foreign language, and is bound by a code of conduct. weeks' holiday after a year's employment. And there is alweys
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won't bave them because of the problems of qualifications. And the foreign teachers, who form a very small minority, often speak little English and are therefore poorly equipped to argue—and io any case fear for their jobs end their work of the piece. If some attend training courses in of performances the schools. On top of this there are any nounder't bother. The simply not sonally, in that sonally, in that which offer English teaching as which offer English teaching as which offer English teaching as foreign students at rates that can be the inspection and the code between them take care of staff morale, teaching a very speak in the code between them take care of staff morale, teaching as the care of staff morale, But while the inspection and

Municipal Workers' Union has agreed to take up their cause. They have set up a language teachers branch, and between 1300 and 100 members bear 300 and 400 memhers have joioed in the last couple of weeks, including ninety per cent of the Berlitz teachers. The con-tract to he discussed at Saturday's meeting will include a £1,950 pa hasic minimum, overtime, increments, pensions and the whole question of standards and qualifications. Once this contract has been agreed union officers will contact the school

principals and hegin negotiations. Meanwhile the owners and principals of the school are treatiog the matter with extreme caution. Some point to the difficulties of providing pensions for

Board for a 6 per cent rise—which would bring the basic lesson rate up to 70p. But on the whole the Department of Education and Science inspections, the British Council sod the APPLS heads are walcoming ARELS heads are welcoming this move to give the business a more professional status.

The only trouble is that while these oegotiations may well improve the position of languimprove toe position of langer iage teachers io the bigger schools, it may be some tima before they reach the many other schools which operate oo a seesonal basis, recruit undergraduates as teachers during seesonal oasis, recruit under-graduates as teachers during vacations, and have been care-ful to avoid contact with the teaching world in the past.

Caroline Moorehead

Katie Stewart

for compliments

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Aegean conflict stirs the embers of an age-old enmity

After canturies of deep-rooted resentment and distrust, Greece and Turkey show greater aptitude for inventing new prob-lems than in resolving old ones. Their latest quarral ovar the Aegean Continental Shelf is all the more alarming as it touches off larent faelings on both sidas of the sun-dranched archipel-

Tha Turks tried to consolidate their position last week by dispatching a heavily-escorted survey ship over the disputed areas in Aagean international waters. A warlika apisode was waters. A waring apisode was avarted only by drastic western intervention. The Greeks, who bad thraatened to blow up any ship that tried to challenge their Aegean dominanca, had to swallow their pride. They said they were keeping an eye on the research vessel in case it violated Greek sovereign rights. Tha Greeks invoka a tale of

Nasreddin Hodja, Turkey's own folk philosopher, to illustrata how tenuous thair naighbour's

Hodja sits in a crowdad humman, mumbling to bim-self: "200 and 200 makes 500." A neighbour turns to corract him: "No, Hodja, it makes 400." "Of course not", Hodjs insists, "It is 500." "Four hun-dred 1" protests tha other." All right", sigbs Nasreddin, stretching out his palm. "As all hera can witness, I am a raasonable man when it comas to debts: I shall take the 400." Nasreddin.

· Turkey's claim over the aastrelies on the exceptions rather than the rules of the Geneva Convention on the Continental Shelf of April 29, 1958, which defined the concept of the shalf

. . . the saabed and subsoil of the submarine areas adjacent to the coast, but outside the area of tha territorial sea, to a depth of 200 matres or, beyond that limit, to where the dapth of tha superjacant waters admits of the exploitation of the natural resources of the said areas." This is valid for both mainland and islands.

Awarded oil exploration rights

Ankara bas laid claim to and awarded oil exploration rights in areas lying on the eastern half of the Aegean seabed on the grounds that this is one of the "special circumstances" mentioned by the convention. The Turkish side, in fact, proves that the Aegean conargues that the Aegean contains bundreds of Greek islands and islets, some of them within a stone's throw of the Anatolian coast. This configuration would deny Turkey a fair shara of the harural resources in tha

Article Six of the Geneva Convention invoked by Turkey, establishes that, in the case of states with opposite coasts, their coastal shalves are datermined by " mutual agreement ". Failing this, it goes on, and unless another boundary is justified by special circum-stances", this should be tha median line betwaen them. The Greek side argues that this negative axception does not jus-tify Turkey's "arbitrary" ection in fixing a boundary ecross the middla of the Aegean, violating the Continental Shelf of the Greek islands.

Turkey clearly takes the word "Continental" in its literal sanse. She insists that tha eastern Greak islands have no

shelf but "rest" on the Anatolian Continental Shelf. In fact, a new variation is that the boundary should follow a line along the deepest points of tha Aegaan to delimit the submarine frontier between the continents of Europa and Asia.

For years Turkish diplomats have taken pains to build up an international case in respect of islands hugging the coasts of foreign states. The thasis is that foreign states. The thasis is that islands should qualify, not only for a Continental Shelf, but evan for a tarritorial sea by virtue of size, population, proximity, and geographical formation. This campaign has bean unsuccessful, but it will be raised again at the third United Nations conference on the law Nations confarence on the law of the see to be held in Caracas between June 20 and August

Guarantee of free navigation

Turkey's vigorous pressure on Greece to agree to early negotiations for the delimita-tion of the Contineotal Shelf is claarly prompted by faars that conditions worldwide are now ripa for a universal acceptance of the 12-mile territorial saa limit. Greece could easily extend her territorial waters from the present six to 12 miles and thus block Turkey's claims to a Shelf. Since few of the Aegean islands are more than 24 miles apart, Turkey's case would, as one Greek diplomat put it, "crumbla oo a sound of Greek territorial sover-aignty", from Lesbos to

Such a move, of course, would vex both the Soviet Union and the United States who loathe closed seas or straits and who make extensive use of the Aegaan to spy on aach other. Graeca would therefore be likely to combina such extension with a declaration gnaranteeing free navigation in the outer six miles of this sovereign zone.

Tha Graak regime is aware that Turkey's interest in off-shora Aegean oil is only secondary to her political aims. The dispute promises to taka its place with the other two perannial Greek-Turkish differences : Cyprus and the minori-

When Greece and Turkey, after their last war in 1921-22, negotiated all problems and signed the Treaty of Lansanne, they disregarded one vital ele-ment: good relations between them were made to rely on goodwill at the level of govern-ments rather than at grassroots level. The average Greek and tha average Turk were left in absolute ignorance of each other except for the disdain, distrust and rasentment which history books and memories of battles bad kept alive. It was these feelings of animosity which came to the fore in the last crisis.

Whan tha Graak and Turkish Foreign Ministers meet during the Nato session in Ottawa later this month, they will have before them long lists exchanged recently outlining their main bilataral griavances Their scopa is so broad that it may forca a drastic reappraisal of Greek-Turkish ralations and lead to what the Previous Greek Prima Ministar, Mr Spyros Markazinis, bas called a mini-Lausanne".

Mario Modiano

"The people before you have no reason to be grateful to British society, or be a friend to you, and you have been taught to be afraid of them. From the reign of Henry VIII to that of George III it was a capital offence to be a Gypsy"

Thomas Acton examines the myth and reality of Gypsies

"The actual cost of staying in the Community is, in fact, quite small in comparison to the total United Kingdom internal budget. It might reasonably be compared with the other 'prestige' Tory projects like Maplin, Concorde and the Channel Tunnel"

Tom Hadden looks at the figures and draws up an EEC balance sheet

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EEC: The tactical dilemma that faces Mr Heath

In almost any policy direction that the Conservatives may choose to look just new, the Labour Government has the tactical, if not necessarily the strategical, advantage. This is obviously true in respect of the retreat thalf-hearted through it may be) from the Tory incomes policy, for instance and also the dismantling for instance, and also the dismantling of the Industrial Relations Actneither of which processes would the Conservative care to contest from thair own present position in an early general election.

But there is one issue on which both the strategic and the tactical advantage (whether one sets sights on a point before or after the election) seem unequivocally to be with the present Government—and that is the EEC. This has been sharply onderlined by Mr Callagban's performance in Luxembourg on Tuesday and by the Conservative reaction to it.

In the days when the Lahour Party was bitterly divided on Mr Heath's proposal to anter the Community, to after the Community, that term "renagotiation "was adopted to maan all things to all Labour man. It was a concept behind which all the conflicting Labour wings could unite—those who were prapared to go in on Mr Haath's terms, those who appeared appears on any tarms, and the on Mr Haam's terms, and the man in the middle (Mr Wilson and Mr Calleghan among them) whose main concarn was party unity.

At that time, the party leadarship was only too heppy if anyone chose to read "renegotiation" as meaning "reopening the treaty" and that remained the situation up to and including Mr Callaghan's truculent address to the Community on April 1, with its clear message that, if not

satisfied, Britain would get out. Since last Tuesday, bowever, there is no longer room for anyona to suppose that Britain either wants to reopen the treaty or to get out, provided the the treaty or to get out, provided the Lahour Government gets what it regards as a reasonable deal. And so sharp was tha change of tone between April 1 and June 4 that it might be tempting to suppose that the Governmant, in some mysterious way, had been educated to new attitudes on Europe by tha facts of office-holding between those two dates.

However, that would be a misreading of the situation. Of course, the Government has no doubt been educated by office-holding to the problems of pulling out. But if one distinguishes the tone from the content of the two utnerances, the statement of April 1 and that of June 4 complement rather than contradict each other. On April 1 Mr Callaghan was concarned to convey to the EEC and to his own party that the Government had meant what it said in its manifesto and would pull out if it could not achieve a satisfactory renegotiation.

The statement of June 4 was meant However, that would be a misread-

The statement of June 4 was meant to show that what it wanted to achieve by negociation, though important for Britain, would neither disturb the fundamental structure of the Community nor reopen the Treaty. Yet it is not e negligible thing that the Covernment is pursuing, particularly in asking for Britain's contribution to the European Budget to be examined in the context of others with ined, in the context of others, with a view to its reduction. Similarly, though the other changes sought can be discussed in the context of the Community's ordinary business, they are not insignificant.

Ronald Butt

If, for example, the Government is able to secure a provision that the Community's regional policy does not inhibit the British Government's right to make what special provisions it thinks necessary for its own regions, that could be interpreted as a gain for United Kingdom sovereignty. An agreement on some differential price agrangements under the agricultural policy to prevent price distortions in Britain could be seen in something of the same light:

However if none of the tangible proposals of the June 4 statement were at odds with the April 1 statement, it is also true that the June 4 statement, for all its constructiveness, does not contradict the messaga of April 1 that the British Government would be prepared to quit if its minimum needs cannot be met.

Indeed, if Mr Wilson and Mr Callaghan were not prepared to stick it out at least to this extent, it is doubt-ful how far they could hold the strong anti-EEC element in their own ranks and in Parliament. Mr Wilson might, and in Parliament. Mr Wilson might, perbaps, ba willing to try to weather a parliamentary storm by Labour anti-Marketeers, if ha went "soft" on Europe, since ha could expact much more compensating Tory support than the amount of Labour support that Mr Heath received from Mr Jenkins and tha Labour pro-Marketeers, when the decision "in principle" was taken in the last Parliament. But it is much more doubtful whether the Government could survive the likely departure to the backbenches of, say, Mr

The internal state of the Labour Party on this issue is, of course, also a powerful influence on the response of the Conservative leadership, which of the Conservative leadership, which is to do, and say, nothing that would make the position adopted by Mr Callaghan more difficult visa-vis the anti-EEC Labour left. Taking Britain into the EEC is now the one great surviving contribution to politics of the Conservative Government of 1970-74 and Mr Heath will not at all be inclined to jeopardize it by stirring up trouble for the Labour Party on the issue while it is in the balance. Here we come back to the point, that, on whatever time scale the future is probed, the EEC is at least one issue which seems likely to benefit Labour. Whether the Government recommends that Britain should stay in or go out, it is a clear electoral

in or go out, it is a clear electoral advantage for Labour that it is willing to put the issue to a popular verdict. Mr Wilson has made it clear that Mr Wilson has made it clear that this is more likely to be done by a referendum than by a general election. This decision seems to have been based on his belief (at the time he said it) that the next election would probably be this October and is not likely to be later than February. It is certain that a renegotiation could not be concluded by October, and probably not by February, so that (assuming these as the election dates) it would hardly be feasible to subject the thesa as the election dates) it would-hardly be feasible to subject the country to yet another election soon afterwards simply on the ERC question. Even if there were no election before next May, the renegotiation might not well be concluded in time. Hence the recourse to a referendum the very prospect of which is an

As for the referendum

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of the better " terms " it had a the Conservatives would in simply to echo the Governm And assuming that the coun simply to echo the Governme And, assuming that the county voted for staying in Labour i basking in the prestige of secured e better deal for Brit the Tories. If on the other he Government was proposing from the EEC, it is hardly if the present state of publication that the Conservatives could a country to stay in. They wan ably simply subhance the unpopularity by proposing it.

The biggest cloud in the Mr Weson on this issue is party will react to whatever is Government does negotiate Labour's emotional split on a remains potentially as deep and it is clear to everybody (in the Foreign Office) that the peans are not going to pay a brokeep us in. In certain circum—perhaps beyond the next eletha Labour Party could still spleurope. But for the time bein real problem is the Conservative as it faces Labour's tari strategy. It is now a matter a urgency for the Conservative define publicly their own artitivenescontation—the need for has already been acknowledg waguely, by a number of Tori indeed, it was in the Consermanties to itself.

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Finalists for the Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors-The Times conservation awards

Turning the past to good use for the future

The preservation and adaptation

of axisting buildings, as opposed to demolition and redevelopment of tha sites, is the thema of this year's Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors/The Times Conservation Awards tha fourth year of the series.

The short list of 17 entries which the judges will be inspecting during the naxt faw weeks includa soraly-needad com-munity facilities provided more quickly and cheaply by convart-ing attractive but redundant old buildings than by constructing

The Multings at Ely are a case in point. An attractive mid-Victorian building occupying a key site on part of the riverside recently laid out as a public walk, tha huilding had bean used as a brewary until damagad by fira in 1967. The brewary by hra in 1967. The brewary company decided not to continue using it but, because the huilding is "listed" as of special architectural and historic importance, did not contemplate demolition. They offered it to the local council for a nominal £100, for conversion into a much-needed public ball.

The proposal provoked con-

The proposal provoked considerable opposition in the town.
The building was unsuitable, it was argued, and could be no substitute for a purpose-built hall. Some townsfolk, blind to the importance of the maltings as a backdrop to Ely's riversida moorings and its bishop's park, said the sooner the old ruin was pulled down, the better,

Happily, the then local council (the City of Ely Urban District) thought otherwise. Architects and anginaers Arup Asso-ciates axaminad tha building and advised that it could be satisfactorily and economically convarted; Whitehall was persuaded, in the combined interests of providing a hall, preserving the townscape and finding a passenger of the control of the c finding a use for a statutorily protected building, to give loan sanction for the work; and a local architect, D. A. Adams & Associates, drew up plans.

The architect removed tha first and second floors from tha greater part of the building, kaaping and strengthening tha fina timbar roof. Ha than added a singla storey extension at the back of tha building with a sbort river-facing facade skil-fully knittad in to the existing structure, and carved out of tha whola a main ball seating 300. a conference room for 130, and

Last winter's shortages in-ducad fears for survival among tha mora nervous citizanry and bas provoked a mova towards

bas provoked a mova cowards self-sufficiency. Increasingly, peopla ara growing thair own vegetables. Those who naed mora space than they have in

a bar/maeting room for 50 in the new extension.
The total cost of £94,000—met with help from the county council—is less than comparable accommodation would have cost new.

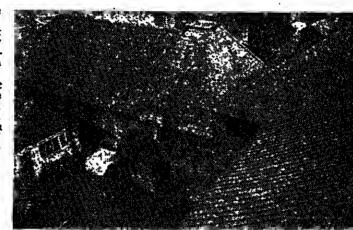
The new Parish Centre at Warsop, Notts, is a similar case from among the nina "privata sector" entries sbort-listed. The church at Warsop stands apart from the main centre of the term with an indecented. the town, with an inadequate and ogly corrugated mission hall serving church and many social activities there. When the mission site became ear-marked for redevelopment the parochial church council at first thought in terms of a new building adjoining the church But close by stood a group of redundant farm buildings— a medieval manor house, a barn with a fine seventeenth-century roof, and a linking granary block round three sides of a courtyard. All were listed, but lacked a use and had become derelict

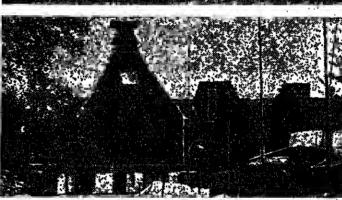
The owners, who were sympa thetic to preservation of the buildings as well as the church's need, sold it to the parochial church council for a nominal £100. Volunteers worked to clear dabris, a local builder gave his firm's services for the later stages of the conversion, and again the result is a parish centre with far more attractive and ample facilities than could baen provided in a new building. The "Tudor Barn" is a splen-

did hall for larger function fine timber roof now splendidly revealed; its excessive length reduced visually by the installa-tion of a gallery ingeniously fronted by sections of redundant Victorian choir stall from the church. The converted building also cootains a variety of meeting rooms, lounges, a licensed club, and kirchans and cloakrooms as well as a flat for tha residant caretaker. A detached modern stable block houses the sometimes noisy activities of the youth club. Total cost of

the conversion was £25,000.

The Maltings at Beccles, a group of redbrick buildings naar tha riversida by popular moorings, have been converted largely to honsing. Norwich architects Faildan and Mawson, working for Fitzwalter Wright, a Norwich marchant bank who beliave conservation can be profitable, have converted the maltings into 13 flats, a pub and





Before and after at the Maltings, Beccles, Suffnlk.

a restaurant. The architects bave slate roof on seven great timber suited the conversion to the spaces in the building provid-ing what are often tall, studiolike rooms with high windows and sloping ceilings showing the original beams. The 11 flats in-tended for sale are grouped round one courtyard, and tha pub, restaurant and two staff flats around another plaasingly paved in the same red brick. Tha kiln with its distinctive chimney now houses the pub's main bar and wine bar for the upstairs restaurant

Three other antries discussed in this article have produced homes out of buildings which emed to most observers suitabla only for demolition. Stanlane Granga at Aighurth, two miles from the centre of Liverpool, was a farm building dating from the fourteenth or fifteenth century, although a monastery huilding associated with it existed at least 300 years

crucks. It is a listed building hut, when Liverpool architect and univarsity lecturer David Brock took it on was derelict and overgrown. Out of it he bas created a spacious bouse for him-self and his family and a smaller home for his parents-in-law. The result is an immensely attractive and very personal bome at the remarkably low nat cost of £5 par sq ft; an intaresting and historic building preserved: and a visual asset to a suburban environment.

The Jacobean House at Burton Latimer in Northants was, before Kettering surveyors and archi-tects Gotch & Surridge took it on, a botch-potch of derelict school buildings, the original seventeenth century house almost submerged by ad boc Victorian additions. The approach was one of "careful and selectiva demolition" of most of the Victorian additions, leaving the earlier. The grange, built of front Jacobean block revealed pink local sandstone, carries its and the best of the Victorian

wings (at right engles to it) as a bedroom block. The demolitions, and the pur-The demelitions, and the purchase of some adjacent derelict counges, gave the site a garden and a garage. The problem of school windows so high that you could not see out of them was solved by raising the floor level in most of the front part of the house; and the designer of the conversion took care in siting dividing walls to reveal

sifing dividing walls to reveal the fine wooden roof trusses In contrast to these two elegant single-family homes, is Norwich City Council's Calvert Street gateway in the Colegate area of the city across the River Wensum. Like the Jacobean house at Burton Latimer, this was a case of old buildings in a precarious state owned by a small charity unable to afford

small charity unable to afford their restoration. The answer lay in purchase by an enlightened local authority already seeking to reinvigorate an historic but down-at-heel area both by preservation and conversion of individual buildings, and by redevelopment with new housing of a character and scale to enhance the established townscape.

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The circumstances here empty and crumbin underline the message that Finally Lord Kaunet merely restoring old buildings a toeeting of interester and politically knocked to the county coun long as it remained there, the lorry traffic would have vitiated restoration work. The city hought the site for hous-ing, relocating the firm elsewhere, and has now restored the two elegant eighteenth-century buildings entered for awards and converted them into eight flats at annual rents ranging from £270 to £426.

Finally two cases where public authorities have preserved statutorily listed buildings while adapting them for their own usa to provide satisfactory working conditions for their staff. The Post Office at Saffron Walden, Essex, was a strik-ing Georgian town house hope-lessly inadequate as the main lessly inadequate as the main post offica of the town siid separated by the length of its high street from an equally unsatisfactory sorting office. So architects of the Property Services Agency of the Department of the Environment secured permission to rebuild the Post Offica behind its two Georgian facades and tack are large but facades and tack on a large but unobtrusive single-storey sorting office behind.

The operation was more plicated and costly than e ted, as what appeared p solid Georgian walls provi be a Georgian face-lift, only a brick thick, on to earlier composed of rubble and by often decayed timber. The was remarkable chiefly for ing survived so long: it sisted of a "rook's near rafters supporting the si without the benefit of any structural simber as all structural timber at all. restoration has kept or repla restoration has kept or replicall the important Georgian tures while providing at lifexer cost a rather mean spacious post office than it mal. At the building's healinged, tall-windowed Gerian first floor front is we must be quite the grandest profice staff lounge in Britain. Toost of the project—£115,000 is £12,000 more than a standinew building, but encirculated by excellent value.

The Crescent at

The Crescent at Derbyshire, is a Grad building and one of pieces of this beautiful spa town. One half we occupied by the S Hotel; the other lempty; and crumblis

that the county count ton council, the Depart Health and the then of Housing's historic administration shared tion costs, with the eventually taking over t ing for use partly as off partly as a new public Clearing away a july Victorian hospital b from the back of the was an expensive but while element in the transformation. The office of the helidies between the second of the helidies are second or the second of t of the building bouses staff in working co superior to, and certain attractive than normal yet, in spite of the all lavishness of the resti the cost of space ran out very economical £73 per metre. The estimated co square metre. In this remarkable economic, a as anvironmental, saving.

Tony Ale

A further article on the finalists will appear later.

The Times Diary

Only trying to get my share

thair gardens are trying to get In Londoo, thara are nor anough allotments to go round, as I found when I tried to get one. My own garden, though reasonabla by London standards, cannot accommodata all the sweet corn, articbokes, sugar paas, courgettes, scorzonera and tha rest which I am anxious ro cudtivata.

My first mova was to tale-phona tha Parks Department of Lambeth Borough Conneil. where I received the shortest of shrift. There was, I was told, a waiting list of 150. I am easily discouraged and let my plan lay fallow, turning

to wine-making instead. But my interest in allotmants was freshly sparked by reading the written reply to a question asked in the Greater London Council on May 14. In it, the chairman of the Housing Managemant Committee revealed that there are 1,312 allotments managed directly by the GLC. My wife then began tracking down who in the GLC had charga of the allotments. She was first referred to the Valuation and Estates Department in Ealing, where a man confessed slightly ashamedly that he ran only three single allotments in Greenwich Bexley and Lawisham, and all were occupied. Ha suggested ringing the Housing Depart-

Housing Dapartment suggested ringing the Kenning-ton Area Office, which suggested ringing the Southern District Office at Walworth, which suggested ringing tha Clapham Park Area Office. plants and treated them with un-Three days later we made cou-

tact with Clapbam who said

sorry, but they were not giving out any more allotments because thara was a plan to landscape them. With the faver really on me now I would not be so easily deterrad, so, shamalassly deciding to exploit my rank as the most influantial journalist in Europe (paca Lord Longford), I talaphoned the GLC Prass

Through tham, I was put in touch with the supremo of all GLC allotments, whose nama I dara not reveal bare. He said it was difficult, but spoke moder ately encouragingly of possibili-ties in Tulsa Hill. A week later an aida phonad back to say Tulse Hill was out, although I could have something in Rochampton, which is too far.

I was almost on the point of giving up again when a colleague told me that the Matropolitan Water Board had soms allotments. On then, to the Board, where I was told that I could go on the waiting list for an allotment in Brixton, and the wait might not be too long. I wonder what will grow in Brixton?

Just friends

Talking about horticulture, last month I raported an American researcher's belief that plants bad feelings, and would grow better if protected from worry. New York magazina last week reported an experiment lu which five paople took bome two ing talking and humming to

The magazine seems to think it worked, but I would say the result was inconclusive. The before and after pictures show growth which seems to me nor-mal for the month of the experi-ment. One plant died, perhaps bored to death by its owner's

The experiment did, however, cast a light on the peculiar behaviour of people. One woman told her violets: "Look, I'm not kidding around. By this afternoon I want to come home and see some buds on you, because this is ridiculous." That even ing thera ware seven buds on the

She added that her first instinct on seeing plants with brown or shrivelling leaves used to be indignation. "Now I proto be indignation. "Now I pro-ject concern." That must be better for her, if not for the plants. In Brixton, at least, my vegatables would have plenty of people to talk to.

Profligacy

The Derby provides a suitable occasion to renew my assault on the BBC for duplicating sports coverage with Independent Tele vision. The forthcoming World Cup is the worst example but the Derby, recurring annually, is al-

most as bad.
IIV has the contract with Epsom for televising racing but tha BBC is allowed in on the Derby only, on the ground that it is an event of national importance. The BBC therefore spends many thousands of pounds of your and my licence money in trundling colour cameras and hosts of peo-ple to Epsom to broadcast a 90-minute programma centred on just one race, lasting less than

TTV presents tha raca as part of a sevan-race programma from Epsom and Ripon, and does it well. By duplicating the coverage the BBC serves nothing but its own vanity, and I do not think I can afford to pay for that profileacy much looser fligacy much longer.



Today's ambiguous road sign was photographed in the Transvaal, South Africa, by Sandra Virgo.

Culture news -

Theta was a full house at the Institute of Contemporary Arts for Poetry International'a wallpublicized reading, The Politi-cian as Poet. Only a half-dozen tickets had gone to demonstrators there to heckle Enoch

Lord Gowrie, formerly a Con-servativa whip in the Lords, pointed out that there used to political poetry which ked a punch: Dryden's packed a punch: Dryden Absalom and Achitophel. Gowrie read in the conventional detached monotone. Powell, who followed, read with a dramatic fervour which indistarted with war inspired poems, and had some stirring references to Alexander, young soldiers, and resolute men of destiny. The hecklers made what they could of his "confessions of guilt feelings" at returning from the war. Powell was the only one of the four to include no humour in his selection. started with war inspired po-

Lord Hailsham started with a Lord Hallsham started with a rude limerick, included some stylish translations from the Classics, and anded with some religious verse. Tom Driberg offered a prize to anyona who could finish his uncompleted limerick about an old man from Style Prizes. Stoke Poges.

As we left, a woman said it helped to see politicians as real people. She thought Powell's poem about a tree in Lincoln's Inn Fields breaking into bloom was "incredibly romantic for such a man". A man who claimed to be a minor poet said he was impressed by the wire he was impressed by the win and style of the work of all four. "They are serious and skilful practitioners of what is a very real art.", he asserted.

"That was all mediocre rub-bish, and Powell's especially was canting rhetoric of the worst kind", said a young man at the back who had hooed. "There's no poetry in racism", bellowed a wide eyed demonstrator at the door. And no racism in the poerry," retorted a grey-haired woman as she walked out. The house divided.

Heavy reading

The experts' report on Nixon's 18.5 minute burnhum tape gap has gone on sale in Washington for just over £4. It is tha latest toma in the extraordinary official watergare publishing spreeding the watergateologist has had to peruse the President's tax returns report (nearly 1,000 pages), the Nixoncated that he believed in his poems' worth, even if his heck-lers seemed scornful. Powell

&I always thought there we lot to be said for the

edited tape transcripts (1,3 pages) and now this 287-pagmanual. Then there is the bill zard of court briefs, morioo subpoenas and rubigs.

The tape experts' report is th handsumest production to date-plastic spiral binding job, wit clear plastic covers, elegant type script and a mass of illustration, and photos. It is, bowever, formidable technical resd.

My compliments to the Evening Standard for prising the quot of the day out of John Oxx the Irish trainer, about Lora Donoughmore, the kidnap vic tim: "He has never allowed religion to interfere with his way of life. He is a good Christian

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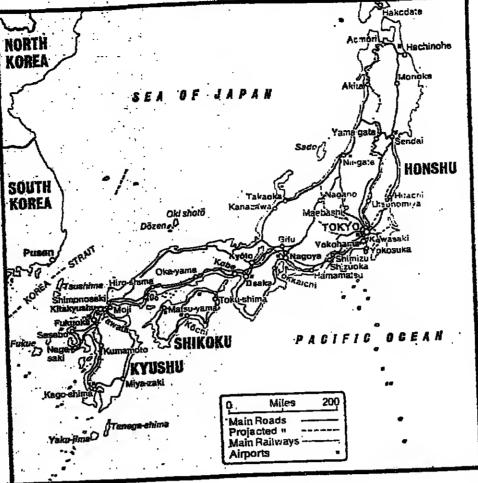
rative to export. taneously, the oil crisis in-duced a sudden change in Government is displaying a expectations which led to a cautious attitude and has series of extraordinary temporarily shelved, until jumps in wholesale prices—after the inflation has subr by the dramatic 7.1 per cent in December sided, some of the ambitious alone, 5.1 per cent in January, and 3.9 per cent in outlined in the grandiose February which has in turn plan of Mr Tanaka, the eroded the purchasing power Prime Minister, to remodel eroded the purchasing power of corporate and consumer the Japanese archipelago, incomes. Reflecting the de Thus the demand from the cline in demand, as well as main domestic sectors—prine 10-15 per cent cutbacks vate consumption, investing electrical power allocament and the public sector—tions to some large-scale is hardly growing at all in users because of the oil real terms. It is against this crisis, industrial production background, that Japanese fell in December, remained industry is turning to exfell in December, remained industry is turning to ex-level in January, and fell ports with redoubled efforts again in February and to create more outlets and harch.

changes in the international soods have also climbed significantly in the past two years.

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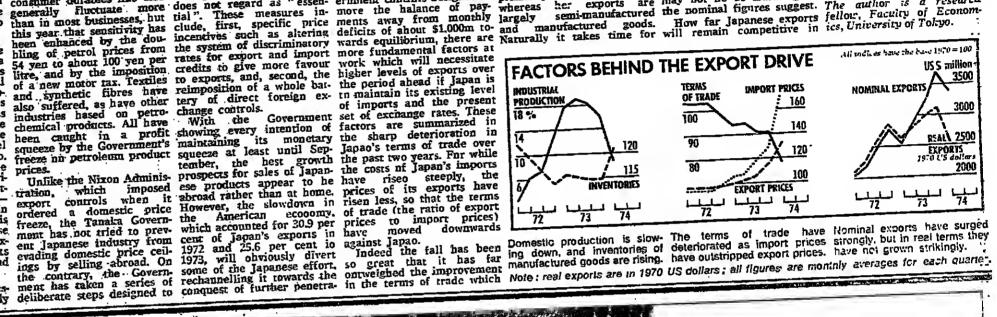
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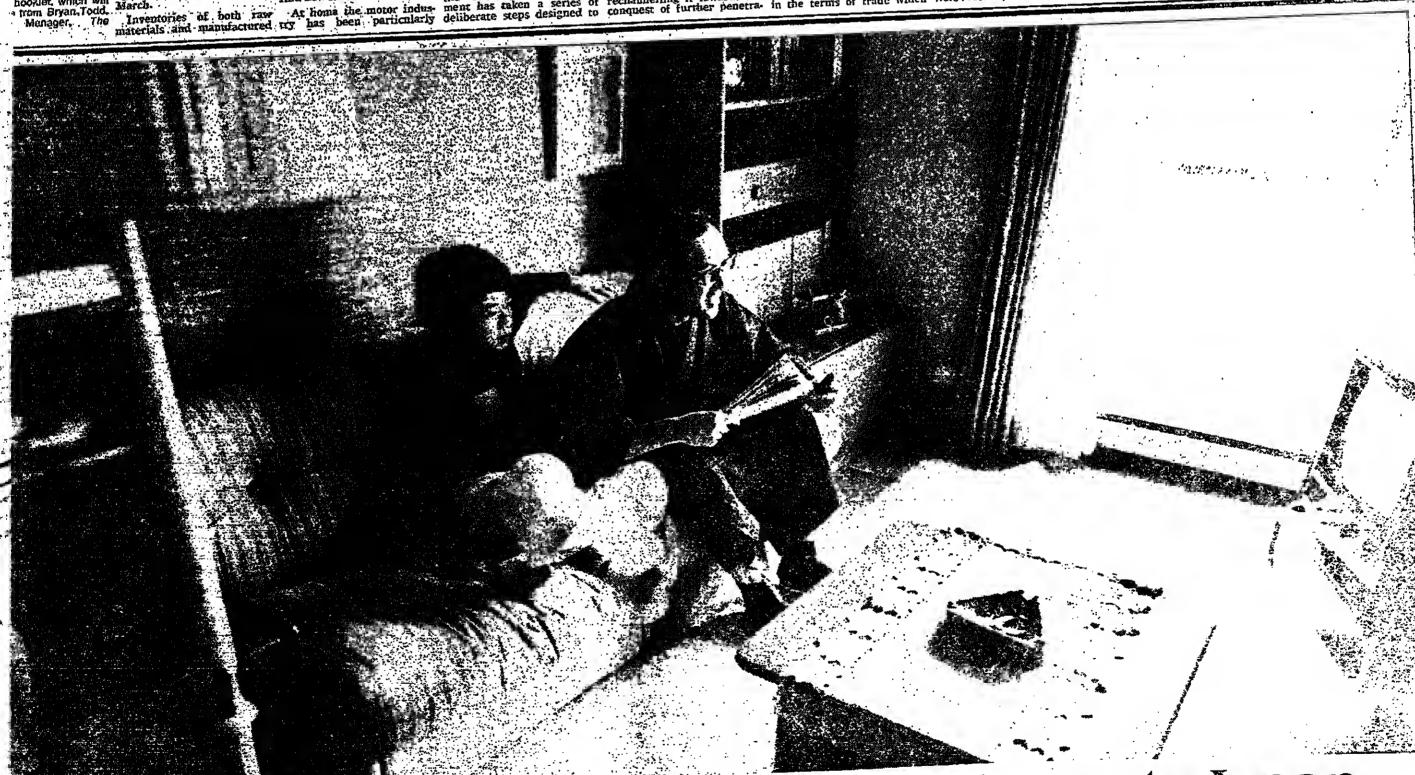
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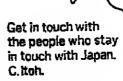


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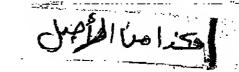
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The shock would prove to be a traumatic one, and the Government will continue to approach the United States in the with kid gloves as it has a leady been doing. As a result Japan's exports to the united States increased marginally by 8 per cent last year. In fact, the volume of exports declined and the slight increase in prices.

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Securities	211,875,665
Loans and bills discounted	578,106,083
Foreign exchanges	57,932,602
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Customers' liabilities for acceptances	
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Other assets	31,844,900
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Other assets	341,231,779
Total	£2,679,074,232

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Acceptances and guarantees	143,178,172
Other liabilities	88,786,392
Reserves	16,890,984
Capital (paid-up)	25,000,000
Legal reserves	10,014,884
Other surplus	57,543,717
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by Karel van Wolferen

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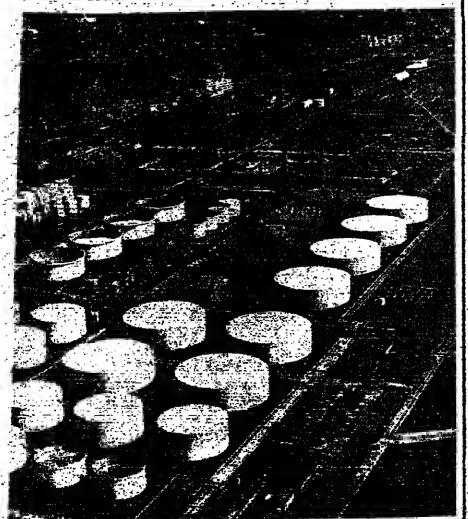
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Unless some success is activities in the area, building mammoth factories and industrial ceutre, expansion of already seriously lagging in and accounts for about 24 per cent of Japan's total population of 108 million in only 36,500 square kilometres (10 per cent of the nation's total land area).

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The resulting distortions are now being tackled by a master plan for development of the district as drawn up of the dis

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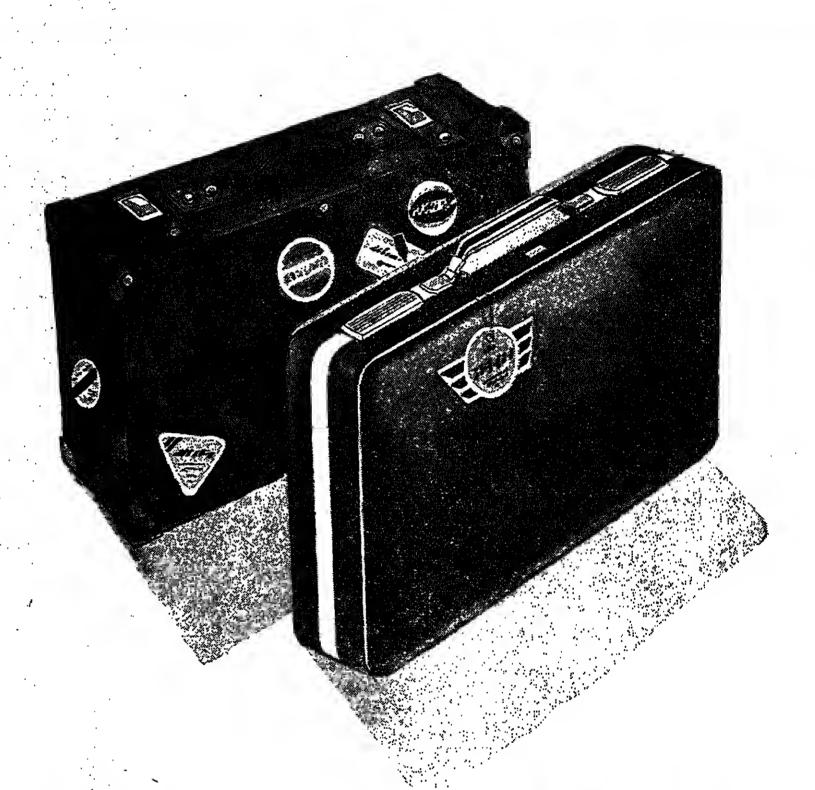
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by Mark Handleman

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The Kinki district forms the western end of the great urban and innustrial concentration in central Japan. It is made up of seven prefectures and its chief cities are Osaka, Kobe and Kynto. The propulation of the district is nearly 29 million, compared with about 108 million for the western and Osaka was titles. The first category in the centre for trade with about 108 million for trade with about 108

population of the district is nearly 20 million, compared with about 108 million for the whole country. That of Osaka prefecture alone is rever eight million.

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Girls at work on the producting line at the Matsushit a Electric Company's Kadoma Osaka, where they turn out radios and transistors.

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Knbe bandled 142 million of Kobe across Osaka Bay. thos of cargo last yeer, The volume of cargo there making it the first port in last year was 75 million tons, Japan in this respect and the of which domestic traffic Japan in this respect and the second in the world, after amounted to 61 million tons. Rotterdam. It takes goods from all parts of the country tons. The main types of the regions west of Nagoya. Domestic craffic in 1973 ery (531,885 tons), machinard foreign traffic to 36 (328,233 tons) and chemicals million tons, of which exports took 15,500,000 tons.

That were the United amounted to 10 million tons (304,162 tons) and the chief recipients were the United Acceptable.

That year the ports of States, Kobe and Osaka handled Korea, \$9,418m (£3,924m) worth of Taiwan, exports, about 25 per cent of In 1

export tonnage shipped from two-way trade came to Kobe in 1972 was steel, 16 540,000 tons, a little below per cent machinery, 10 per that of Kobe.

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With Nissan, the makers nerized exports aline in of Datsuns, based in the 1978.

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oy China's desire to balance entire project is estimated at its trade with Japan hut they 83,000m yen (£107m). By the are not blind to the potential time the reclamation is fin-

The port of Kobe is in the lion tons.

midst of an impressive programme of expansion, which dustrial, as opposed to a consists of creating two articles is and in the sea. Port Island, which covers just Type of exports from the port over 1,000 acres and is of Kobe and Osaka in 1973 linked to the mainland by a bridge, is four fifths com-pleted. It will eventually have nine container herth: and 21 liner berths capable of handling 12 million tons a year. Office and residential accommodation will be huilt in the middle.

The project, which is due to be finished next year, will cust ahout 140,000m yeu. (£218m) and is heing financed by the National Government and the city of Kohe.

Wnrk on Rnkko Island began in 1972. Twenty-three liner berths and three ferry berths in the northern part are expected to be in opera-tion in about three years' time, but a decision has still to be made on going ahead with the southern part, which would consist of container facilities. The cost of the northern part, which will be met by the city of Kobe is estimated at 100,000m yes £154m).

These investments will Organization help to remove delays experienced at the moment by liner traffic and, according to the local authorities, will enable Kobe to handle mor than 250 million tuns it 1977, nf which one fifth wil

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The port of Osaka lies a few miles to the south-east

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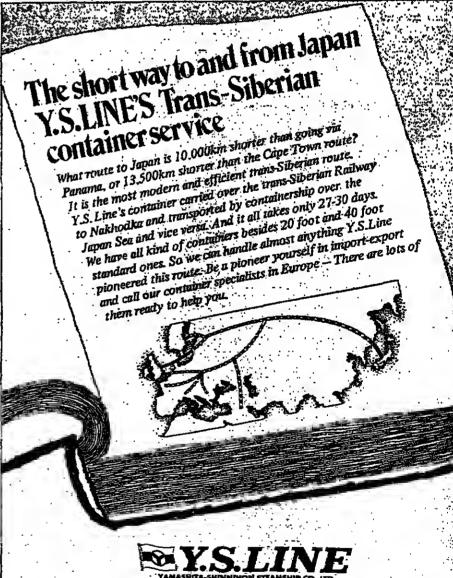


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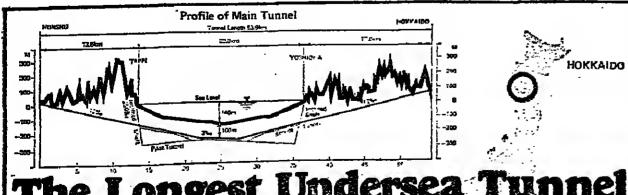
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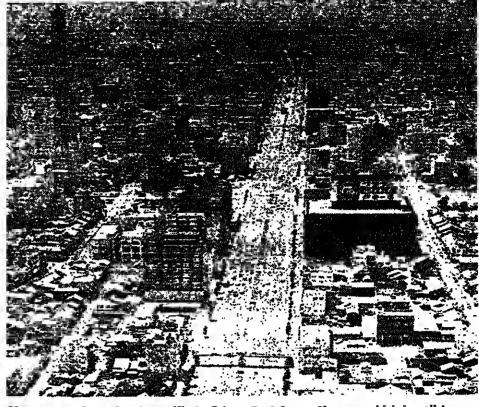
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Ten ships of 400,000 tons each are on order at Koyagi, of which seven are for for-eign clients. Construction of first is scheduled to begin at the end of this year. The value of contracts on hand at the Missubishi yard in Nagasaki is 693,000m yen

- (£1,065m).

In 1973 the yard's exports were worth 90,000m yen (£138m), or 60 par ceut of production. This year, because of poor domestic demand, they are expected to come to 180,000m yen, or 100 cent of production. 90 per cent of production. Despite its achievement, Japanese shipping is facing difficulties. First there is uncertainty about future demand for ships in the light of the current energy shortage. The flow of orders to Nagasaki dried up last November and a spokesman for Mitsubishi was unable to

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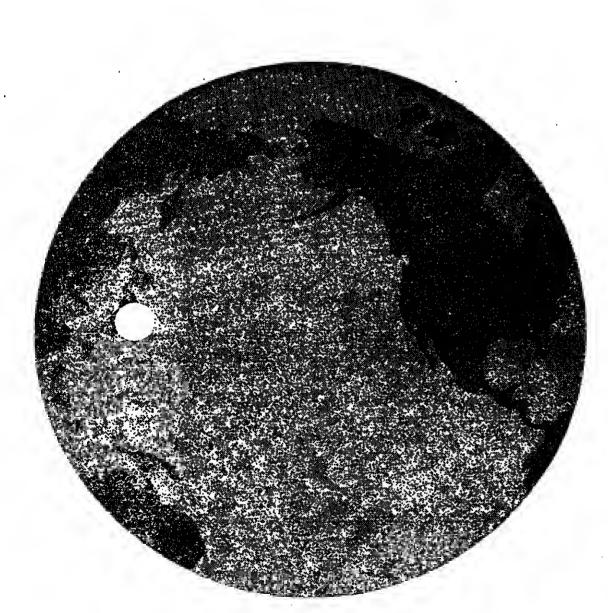
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Congested roads offer chance for rail recovery

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by Geoffrey Murray

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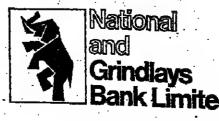
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For the unfortunate residents who live near the sound-breaking walls near the tracks.

by Michael Reich
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RAC GETS IT WRONG

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citish ears Mr morning. For when he told the Giscard Estaing's "Yes But...ech in Luxem- French National Assembly that to General de Caulle in 1967) "Britain now is demanding modipositive, and the fications to the Treaty", he was great European col-saying something that is actually tringly coopera not true, as Mr. Callaghan had been at some pains to make clear.
But this error does at least

give some grounds for hope that his statements were based on a misunderstanding whether wil-ful or otherwise. If France is taking her stand on the Treaties. and Britain is seeking a solution within the terms of the Treaties, then the prospects of a success-ful renegotiation may not be so remote as M Chirac suggested. This was at least hinted by M. Sauvaguargues when he told the cabinet meeting that "any solu-tion to problems of British mem-bership must be under the existing texts"

Probably M Chirac's harsh tone was motivated by two unvoiced considerations. The first was the thought that in the coming renegotiation French interests would have to be defended, and that therefore as strong as possible an initial bargaining posi-tion should be taken up. If this is right it is actually encouraging insamuch as if implies that France takes the prospect of renegotiation seriously. The second was the context in

which he was speaking: a policy statement to be followed by a vote of confidence, in which the mentary group will be decisive. Those votes are an essential part of President Giscard d'Estaing's new presidential majority", but they cannot absolutely be taken for granted. Many Gaullists regard both President and Prime Minister as little better than traitors to the Ganllist cause. e M Sauvagnargues Their proclaimed attitude to the Callaghan's proposals to meeting yesterday, new government (echoing M European Commission.

to General de Gaulle in 1967) is Yes, if "They have not been much placated by the composition of M. Chirac's government, in which their party has only five members (including M. Chirac himself) while four posts have gone to their arch enemies, the Reformateurs. Réformateurs.

To reassure the disgruntled Gaullists was therefore M Chirac's most immediate task. He sought to do so by laying considerable emphasis on France's national independence, and the virtues of General de Gaulle's foreign policy, General de Gaune's foreign poncy, although admirring the need for active and friendly cooperation with the United States". He also sought to do it by ecboing the themes of M Chaban Delmas's inaugural speech as Prime Ministrations and the need to the cooperation with a need to the cooperation. ter five years ago: the need to reform "a society still caught up in rigid stratifications ceused by caste spirit and the weight of bureaucracy", and the need for cooperation "between all the actors of economic and social life". These are themes which it will be hard for M Chaban-Delmas's disappointed supporters to vote against today. No doubt the same consideration helped to add firmness to M Chirac's remarks about possible concessions to Britain.

Of course those remarks represent a facet of French policy which it would be wrong to neelect, especially as a similar firmness was shown by M Sauvagnargues in his speech to the Council of Ministers. Yet it must he significant that after making that speech, and after telephoning to the Elysée, M Sauvagnargues did not oppose the referal of Mr Callaghan's proposals to the

ENGINEERING FOR CHILDREN

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the Department of controversy over selection is of trusted, for reasons both good and truancy and vandalism, there is at least as much truth in that association, as there is in Mr Ashley Bramail's claim on Tuesday that the end of selection would bring a beneficial "total transformation" to the compre-

aselves as indepency capital, as well as more discrete in the capital, as well as more discrete in the partly this is because the area's private schools and numerous surviving grantmar schools do take many of the most able. But unless the comprehensives that replace them can offer a reasonably comparable standard of schooling, then the abolition of grammar schools is more likely to feed the private sector and accelerate the flight of the middle classes from inner London than to fill the hig schools with brighter, keener pupils, as Mr Bramall implies.

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limited relevance. If it is too bad. They are so large that they simple to allege that there is a direct causal link between the spread of the comprehensive school in London and the simultaneous spread of indiscipline; deprived children are such that the teachers are, on the contrary, very often novices far out of their depth. In a large and unselective school a minority of wild pupils can cause much wider disruption than they would have done in an old secondary modern. Many parents feel that the prevailing attitude to learning is not sufficiently urgent or competitive.

To some extent, however, the system takes the blame for social problems that would exist however the schools were organized. One or two of London's comprehensives cannot fairly he accused of any of these shortcomings (unluckily for egalitarian motives. however, they tend to he situated in the more prosperous areas). At a time when parents are deeply concerned about the quality of their children's schools and sceptical about current educa-tional fashions, the ILEA is unwise to make extravagant promises for a reorganization which, on past form, is likely, if Bramall implies. Which, on past furth, is likely, if The truth is that London com- anything, to do more harm than

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which Japan will provide equip-ment for the Siberian coal fields in return for more than 100 mil-

lion tons of coal over twenty years. It would, however, be understandable if the Soviet

Union were doing some rethink-

IA NEEDS AND FEARS WESTERN KNOW-HOW d news agency has all countries, including Japan.

denied absurd That this remains true is empha-

> ing on the extent to which it wants to commit itself to agree It is a difficult choice with political dimensions which are ments of this sort. Mr Brezhnev's policy was formulated hefore last year's war in the Middle East made everyone aware of the real value of oil. The Soviet Union produced 421 million tons of oil in 1973 and expects to produce about 500 million in 1975. It is on the verge of being unable to meet its own requirements together with those of Eastern Europe, which imports 80 per cent of its oil from the Soviet Union. Soviet experts have predicted a significant shortage

in about five years' time, The problem is not resources. which are vast, but the technology for exploiting them and the pipelines for transporting the product. The Russians cannot drill as deep or as fast as the Americans. especially offshore, where their experience has been mainly in the relatively shallow waters of the Caspian. Undoubtedly they are capable of developing their technology, but they have to decide whether to wait while they do so or to take a short cut by buying

more foreign equipment. If they wait they risk shortages for themselves and strains in Eastern Europe. If they buy foreign equip-ment they must pay for it in hard currency or in oil which they need themselves. They must also allow more and more foreigners to come and poke around in their remoter regions.

not new in Russian history. Dr Sakharov, the dissident nuclear scientist, hinted at these in May. in his lengthy reply to Solzhen-itsyn's prescription for the salvation of Russia. He wrote: "Among a large part of the Russian people and among part of the leaders of the country there exist attitudes of great Russian nationalism, combined with a fear of becoming too dependent on the West and a fear of democratic changes. Solzhenitsyn's errors could well become dangerous if they fell

upon such rich soil." If one adds together Mr Sbashin's suggestion that foreign help is not so vital after all, and the increasingly tough remarks of Marshal Grechko, the Defence Minister, on the need for military Marshal Grechko, the Defence Minister, on the need for military preparedness, it is impossible to escape the impression that while there is no basic change of policy in Moscow there is a change of tone in the way it is discussed and to the wreatblaying st Lord Cochrane's grave in Westminster Abbey. possibly in the halance of forces which conduct the discussion.

inspectorate I. L. Abernethy

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se, as curgested in your icle (May 28) "Need for ispectorate", that senior re most likely to be the ain some inking of postultion in their authority view, as a former chief is their dury to speak up is their duty to speak up comes to their notice a fellow official. I am could not be dismissed without the consent of the appropriate govern-ment department. Over the years successive legislative enacuments have eroded this protection. Any reluctance to voice instillable suspi-cions ought to be removed if ell heads of major local authority departments were to be protected in this way.

A senior person in authority inwhom an official can confide is already available. Local anthorities are required to appoint either the District Auditor (a Government Official) or a suitably qualified firm of certain chief officials professional accountants to audit and

examine their accounts and procedures.

These enditors are completely independent, and are armed with wide powers which they can if eppropriate be asked to use.

This existing safeguard, accompanied by greater security of tenure for chief officials, should be all that the presessing to deal with what the

is necessary to deal with what the Redeliffe Maud. Committee rightly found to be the infrequent instances of corruption in lucal government. Yours faithfully, W. L. ABERNETHY. 4 Narmi Close

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Concorde as a competitor

From Sir. William Hildred Sir, The accidental confrontation of

From Sir. William Hildred
Sir, The accidental confrontation of view expressed on contiguous pages of The Times (June 4) by Bernard Levin and Sir Peter Masefield on the subject of Concorde demands that anyone even on the sidelines should stand up and be counted.

I admire both thesa gentlemen. I also edmire Sir George Edwardes, OM, who built the aeroplane in conjunction with a tremendous French team and with personnel supremely akilled at the growing point of technology in aviouics.

With some knowledge also of the hondred-odd presidents of the airlines in the International Air Transport Association I can testify to their intense apirit of competitiveness, and recollect the fluxry when Juan Trippe of Pan American Airways announced at an annual general meeting that he had ordered 35 jets and how many of them scraped the barrel to follow suit.

Even allowing for the Russian SST, this country holds the lead in technical inventiveness and perseverance. And once the first Concorde carries passengers to Australia in a matter of hours, the rest of the leading airlines will follow on.

I cannet think Bernard Levin is right in saying it will require hundreds of millions of further moneye to establish Concorde as a suitable passenger aeroplane. But even if it did the money will go into the pockets of the most highly skilled workers in the ownery and that is not an unworthy object.

Yours faithfully,
W. P. HILDRED, Spreakley House,

W. P. HILDRED, Spreakley House, Frensham, Jnne 4.

From Mr Charles Davy Concorde's fuel consumption is Sir, Concorde's fuel consumption is said to be about twice that of subsonic aircraft of similar capacity. Should we tolerate such an extravagant use of an irreplaceable energy-asset? Any commercial success achieved by Concorde will not compensate for this cost, but will multiple is tiply it. Yours faithfully,

CHARLES DAVY, Priory Bank, Forest Row, Sussex.

From Mr Edward Manners

Sir, In this age of inflation imagine how favourable the cost of a Con-corde purchased now will be with a corde purchased now will be with a subsonic aircraft purchased in five years time. Have we lost our commercial nerve to the extent that we agree with Bernard Levin and expect immediate profits? That argument killed the TSR2 and was nearly successful with the Viscount. Thank you, yours faithfully, EDWARD MANNERS, 43 Sulivan Road, SW6.

From Mr A. W. F. Edwards Sir, But the Viscount does not make a bang. Yours faithfully, A. W. F. EDWARDS, Conville and Caius College,

Pandas for the Zoo From Professor Lord Zuckerman,

OM, FRS Sir, While the Zoological Society of London is most grateful to Lord Chalfont for the messages which he conveyed from the society to the conveyed from the society to the Chinese Zoo authorities when in Peking as a member of the Parliamentary Delegation in 1972 (The Times Diary, June 4), I know him far too well not to realize that he would be the first to recognize that the credit for securing the magnificent gift of a pair of pandas for the British people should go to the man who took the definitive step, and to whom the gift was offered. Mr Edward Heath.

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The history of the Zoological Society's exchanges with Peking go back a long way, and some of them provided our diplomatic representatives, at a period when our relations were not as cardial as they now are, with some welcome relaxation from their other duties. Through our long-standing contacts with the Academia Sinica, the Chinese political authorities were also aware of our wish to return to their country breeding return to their country breeding pairs of Père David'e deer. These were in fact transported to Peking on the eve of the visit Mr Heath was due to pay last January, and which be had kindly undertaken to present formally to the Chinese Government.

The council of the society intends to take all possible measures for the proper housing of the pandas in the hope that they will become a breeding pair. We can assure the Chinese Government, to whom our best thanks are due, that we shall use our long experience of these animals to this end. On behalf of the society I should also like to take this opporshould also like to take this oppor-tunity of expressing our deep thanks to Mr Heath.

Yours faithfully,

S. ZUCKERMAN, Secretary, The Zoological Society of London, Regent's Park, NWL

Laying a wreath From Mr W. R. J. Pullen

By a unanimous corporate decisioo of the Dean and Chapter on February 12, confirmed on February 26, it was agreed that in the circumstances there could be no official participation by them in the oricial participation by them in the wreath aying ceremony on May 21 this year. But there was not then, nor has there been since, any question of forbidding any individuels.

groups to lev wreaths.

The Chilean Ambassador was, in fact, subsequently invited to lay e wreath if ho wished, but preferred not to do so. Four wreaths were laid by various groups on the day in question. Yours faithfully,

W. R. J. PULLEN. Chapter Clerk and Receiver General, The Chapter Office. Westminster Abbey, SW1.

Legal dilemma of an unknown tax

From Mr C. G. Prestige

Sir, Your leading article "The Effects of an Unknown Tax" (June 4) is timely. Solicitors, whose duty it is to advise members of the public on a large variety of matters-often matters which can heve no connection with gifts or wealth within the ordinary meaning of those terms-are finding it increasingly difficult to know what edvice to give to their

The problem is not confined to tha proposed gifts cax. For example, on December 17, 1973, the then Chancellor of the Exchequer announced that the Government proposed to introduce legislation to aker the basis on which tax is charged on the disposal of land with development value. A press release from the Inland Revenue gave general details, but in some respects the release was value. respects the release was vague: paragraph 19, for example, referred to "special provisions" (unspecified) "for certain interests in trusts". How can one advise in tha face of such imprecision?

tength published at the end of April 1974, it was the view of many that the effect of clause 32 would be considerably wider than could reasonably be gleaned from the press release of December 1973; nevertheless the provisions new proposed as less the provisions now proposed are to apply retrospectively "to any disposal of any interest in land which is made after 17th December 1973".

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The problem of what advice to giva in connection with many "ordinary" transactions grows daily. The problem is far more reaching than the example you, Sir, instanced of soma lawyers being reductant to allow a husband to put the family house into joint ownership.

What edvice does one give to a client contemplating taking out additional life assurance: will thet be an asset liable to the wealth tax? and if so, at what rate? What advice does one give if it is desired to use capital in a family trust to pay debts: for the Financial Secretary to the Treasury said in Parliament on March 28 (Hansard, column 758) that the 28 (Hansard, column 758) that the gifts tax will apply "at progressive rates" (the rates themselves heing unspecified) "on all capital taken out of a settlement"?

What edvice does one give if e What edvice does one give it e client wishes to make permanent financial provision for an elderly but impoverished relative: does the client do nothing for fear that any step taken might make him liable to gifts tax? What advice does one give to e client who desires to make a oew

Holborn Law Society represents some 1,500 solicitors in the Lincoln's Inn, Gray's Inn and Bedford Row areas of London: its members bave collectively considerable expertise in the field of tax law and in advising on financial matters generally.

on financial matters generally.

The Committee of Holborn Law Society urge that it is one thing to introduce a chenge in the rates at which an existing tax is levied (such as in the levels of income tax, stamp duty or estate duty) and for the legislation, when finally enacted, to ba retrospective to the dete when that change was announced. But if new taxes are to be introduced, then the tax should not come into force at an earlier date than the publication of the Finance Bill or at very least the publication of comprehensive draft clauses (to be included in a later Bill) spelling out precisely the scope of the proposed tax. of the proposed tax.

The public is entitled to certainty in the law. Yours feithfully,

COLIN PRESTIGE, President, Holborn Law Society, 6 New Square, Lincoln's Inn, WC2.

From Lord Luke of Pavenham Sir, I am glad to read your leader on the effects of an unknown tax if only

for putting into print what msny of us feel and deplore end find uneccepteble-hut I am bound to point out that the situation of uncertainty end the standstill are exactly what Mr Healey wished to create, so he must ho gratified by your confirmation of the effects of his Budget. Yours faithfully,

LUKE, Odell Castle. Odell, Bedfordsbire. Juno 3.

Ulster: re-drawing the boundaries

From Mr Brian O'Hanlon

Sir, The tragedy of Northern Ireland should not surprise anyone. The seeds of today's holocaust were sown 50 years ago with the setting up of a Protestant enclave in the six North Eastern counties to offset de Valera's Catholic Socialist Republic in the

One may or may not like Ian Paisley's brand of Protestantism. That is not the point. The uosurmountable fact is that he speaks for the majority feeling in the Six Countes and never in a million light pages will be William Coulombian. years will he, William Craig and/or the Rev Martin Smyth's Orange Order see tha "loyalist" Presby-terian status quo changed.

Britain's mistakes were indeed many. However, no successive British Ministers could have done James Callaghan and William White-law, in the immediate past.

The fact ought now to be faced.

The Six Counties must become an independent State, fully self-governing. Britain should begin a phased withdrawal as soon as possible and set a final time limit. Negotiations could, in the interim, begin hetweeo the powers-that-are in the Six Counties and the Duhlin Government for a possible re-drawing of the boundaries—Derry, as William Craig has already said, might go into the Republic—and the resettlement of Catholic families who do not wish to live under the Protestant Ulster Red Hand" in the South.

The Briton of today ie different from his predecessor of half a century ago. In those days, and indeed up until 10 years ago, it would heve been unthinkable for part of the "Empire" and "Britain" to be torn as under from the metropolitan mainland. This sentiment no mainland. This sentiment no longer epplies. The common view prevailing seems to me to be that Ulster's problems can only he sorted out by Ulstermen and that most people here on the mainland could not accede to the rigid Protestant ascendancy and its total inflexibility that any pacification of the "lovel." that any pacification of the "loyal-ist" majority would mean, inside the United Kingdom context.

It is by no means "ohvious" that a civil war would follow a British withdrawal just as it is in many ways a

nonsense to talk ebout the "reunification" of Ireland. The Ulster Workers Committee heve recently demonstrated just how effective the majority in the Six Counties can be wheo they coordinate their resources-

Indeed, the Ulsterman le perhaps the most resourceful and diligent creature on these islands. Ireland has always been united in so many ways, in commerce, industry and sport, that its many facets of unity have heen ignored due to the obviously over-riding political differ-

Let us, Sir, stop shillyshallylog about withdrawing troops or not withdrawing them. The debate should be centred around an independent Protestent pocket state and in everyone's interests, not least the hard pressed British raxpayer, it should begin at once.

Yours faithfully, BRIAN O'HANLON, 1 Kensingtoo Mansions, Trehovir Road, SW5.

From Mr S. G. Banks Sir, Tha decision of the Home Secretary to refuse the transfer of the Price sisters to an Ulster prison is both strange and regrettable. Strange in that Mr Jenkins has previously been noted for bis bumanitarian views—was he not an ardent cam-paigner for the release of Rudolf Hess from Spandau prison? Regrettable in that nothing can be achieved by allowing these two young women to kill themselves—hut by allowing them to save themselves he will quite possibly save many (who knows how many) innocent lives. It is almost pre-dictabla that the mindless assassins on both sides in Ireland will in turn take revenge should these women die.

Let Mr Jenkins ponder well tha words of Shakespeare: "The quality of mercy is not strained, it droppeth as the geotle rain from beaven, upon the place heneath: it is twice blest, it hieseach him that gives, and him that takes . . .". Yours faithfully,

S. G. BANKS, 65 Orchard Place, Hervington, Evesham, Worcestershire.

Freedom to listen From Professor J. Black

Sir, May I comment on the freedom of speech? The current discussion is neglecting the equally important freedom to listen.

If I speak, what I say may well in some people's opinion be trivial, ill-informed or antisocial. I need no andience to exerciso my freedom to say it; this can be done in the

say it; this can be done in the privacy of my owo bathroom. Suppose, however, that some individual or society ectually wants to hear

They need not he essumed to agree with what I say, or with what they expect me to say. They may wish to confirm for themselves that anybody could be ao stupid as to make the statements press reports have ascribed to me. They may want to hear me for themselves before finally deciding there is no ment in my case. They may hope by dis-cussion to convince me of the error of my views. They may merely hope for enterteinment.

Whatever their reasons for wanting to heer me, if they ere not allowed to their freedom is heing curtailed as well as mine. It is surely the duty of university sutherities to ensure that any of their staff or students who want to listen to any speaker whose utterances are not actually illegal should he allowed to hear them in peace. This is not for the sake of the speaker, whose views will usually get vast free publicity from being shouted flown when they would have passed with our notice if heard. It is to protect the freedom of the would he

Anybody who does not like my views can safeguard their purity by steying away when I speak. They have no right to stop others from listening, and they have no business to be in a university if they try. J. BLACK, Streatham Court, Rennes Drive, Exerer.

Arabs in Jerusalem

From Mr Jamal Nasir Sir, Mr Teddy Kollek's views on Jerusalem, as reported by your correspondent in your issue of Mey 31, are not only sad but insulting, as well as disappointing, and completely out of place at this particular time. Mr Kollek and the rest of the

Israeli leaders should know hy now thet the millions of Arabs and Muslims will never rest until Arah Jerusalem, which had always been in Arab bands prior to 1967, is returned to them. There can be no lasting peace in the Middle East unless Israel, first and foremost, withdraws from Arab Jerusalem. Mr Kollek. without the slightest hesitation, goes on to say "the Arabs in Jerusalem had everything except the right to be their own masters"

Suffice it 10 say that the right to he mesters in one's own country is, to the Arabs and to millions of men and women throughout the world, more important than life itselt. For Mr Koilek to say that the Arabs in Jerusalem were occupied by "the Bedu from lordan " is a most ridiculous statement. Yours faithfully,

JAMAL NASIR, Former Minister of Justice of Jordan, 2 Stone Buildings. Lincoln's Inn. WC2.

Sale of church

treasures From the Registrar of the Province

of Canterbury

Sir, On May 21 you published a letter from the President of the Society of Antiquaries of London, and nice other gentlemen distinguished in the world of museums, arracking the whole basis of the system uoder which the Ecclesiastical Courts con-trol end protect churches end their which the Ecclesiastical Courts control end protect churches end their contents through the faculty jurisdiction. The General Synod has full power to legislete on this subject and will no doubt do so if any change is needed; short of that, procedural changes can be made by the Rule Committee under the Faculty Jurisdiction Measure 1964.

But the major premise of the letter is incorrect. The writers say that since the decision of the Court of Arches in the Tredington case in 1970 sen increasing amount of parish plete has been coming into the market. This is not true. The statistics kept by the Council for Pleces of Worship show that in the 20 years 1948 to 1967 inclusive, twenty-one faculties were granted for sales in such cases; in each of the years 1956 and 1959 there were four; in 1963 three; in 1965 two; end in all the others either one or none. There was a sherp increase after that: five in 1968, six in 1969 and eight in 1970.

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and eight in 1970.

The Tredington judgment was delivered only at the end of 1970, on October 28, and it was not reported in the Weekly Law Reports until the spring of 1971. Thus its effect was only felt in snd after 1971. In that yesr four such faculties were granted; in 1972 thore were two; in 1973 there were two; and so fer there has been one in 1974. The Tredington judgment, far from opening the gates to indiscriminate sales redington judgment, tar from opening the gales to indiscriminate sales of parish plete, bas laid down, with the euthority of the eppellate court, rules which make it very difficult to sell parish plate at all unless there is some compelling reason to do so, usually the urgent need to repair a church

Again, the writers of the letter describe the Chancellor of a Diocese, the judge of its Consistory Court, as "a single individual with almost despotic powers". The Chancellor is a Queen's judge, and like all other judges he is bound hy precedent and by the rules of his court. Almost ell civil cases in the secular courts of England are tried by a cedent and by the rules of his court. Almost ell civil cases in the secular courts of England are tried by a single judge; all Chancery cases, ell cases in the Family Division, nearly all those in the Queen's Eench Division, and all those in the County Courts are thus handled. In many of these cases (eg, concerning custody of children) the single judge is required to exercise a judicial discretion, just so the Chancellor exercises a judicial discretion in authorizing the sale of parish plate.

But it is not usually suggested that the secular judges sitting slone bave "almost desponic powers". Why then should the ecclesiestical judges, performing similar duties under similar conditions, he thus stigmanized? Further, the Chancellor is e judge of first instance; thus all bis decisions are subject to an appeal to the Court of the Province. Two appeals in cases about church plate bave in fect been allowed by the Court of Arches in the last four years.

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No human erraogements are pe No human errangements are perfect, and there may well be a case for considering whether, on the rare occasions when church treasures ara to be sold under the Tredington rules, the museums of this country shall he given an opportunity to bid for them, or possibly even in some circumstances the chance to preempt them at the full market price but without an auction. This is a hut without an auction. This is a technical matter which the Rule Committee could properly be asked

But to call, as the writers of the letter do, for the total replacement of the faculty jurisdiction (in which the sale of church plate is only a very small part of the work) hy some new system wholly unspecified is surely too sweeping. And it is also e pity that the dist ognished writers have mede the major errors to which I have ventured to call your attention.

Yours faithfully, D. M. M. CAREY, Registrar, Province of Camerbury, 1 The Sanctuary, Westminster, SW1. June 4.

io consider.

Control of pollution From Mr Charles Simeons

Sir, During my time in Parliament the Deposit of Poisonous Waste Act was passed in response to immense emotion and public clamour. Although this did nothing to provide a means of disposal for loxic waste, it did much to tecord what was going on in particular areas. Firms had to

on in particular areas. Firms had to report the movement of waste.

The Control of Pollution Bill appears to allow this reporting procedure to lapse. While it may please industry which will be relieved of a chore, and delight the villains, it must he a highly retrograde step.

At a time when emphasis should

be concentrated upon prevention. one of the best means of reminding maoagement just what is being dumped will bave gone. Councils which are disposal authorities will have to carry out their own surveys which must edd considerably to the

cost.

I hope there will be second thoughts before such a valuable means of collection of information is jettisoned—dare one say it—at a stroke I

Yours, etc. CHARLES SIMEONS. 21 Ludlow Avenue, Bedfordshire.

A lesser St James From the Reverend Bruce Kenrick

Sir, The theological significance of Westminster's street sign change from "Saint James's Square " to "Sr James's Square " (Letters, June 4) could be that "St" can stand for saint or street or both.

A how threw a brick through a church's stained glass window, clip-ping out the "e" from the word "Highest". The congregation was then faced with the exultant thee-logical call to give "Glory to God in the High St"

Yours faithfully BRUCE KENRICH.

115 Bienheim Croscert, W11.



COURT CIRCULAR

BUCKINGHAM PALACE

June 5: The Queen held a Council at 10 o'clock this morning. There were present: the Right Hon Edward Short, MP (Lord President), the Right Hon Reginald Prentice, MP (Secretary of State for Education and Science), the Right Hon Judith Hart, MP (Minister of Overseas Development) and the Right Hon Edmund Dell, MP (Paymaster-General).

Mr Stanley Orme made affirma-tion as a Member of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council. Sir Godfrey Agnew was in attend-ance as Clerk of the Council. The Right Hon Edward Short, MP, bad an andience of The Queen before the Council. The Queen, with The Duke of Edinburgh, accompanied by Queen Elizabeth The Queen Mother, Princess Alexandra, the Hon Mrs Angus Dgilvy and the Hon Angus Dgilvy, hunoured Epsom Races with Her presence

today. The Ladies and Gentlemen of the Households in Waiting were in atten/lance attendance.
This evening at Buckingham Palace, His Royal Highness, as Patron and President. received a deputation from the Licensed Victuallers' National Homes.

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June 5: The Duchess of
Gloocester, as Patron of the
Embroiderers' Guild, visited "The
Young Embroiderer Exhibition",
at the Celanese House Show Room,
Hanover Square, this morning.
Her Royal Highness, as Patron,
was present at a Reception given
by the London Orpheus Choir at
17 Carlion House Terrace, this
evening. evening.
Aliss Jennifer Thomson was in attendance.
Prince Richard of Gloucester this

evening was present at the Coo-gress Dinner of the International Association for Driving Instruction and Traffic Education (IVV) at the Bioomsbury Centre Hotel Lieutenaot-Colonel Simon Bland was in attendance. The Oucen will visit an exhibition at the Register House, Edinburgh, on July 2 to mark the bicentenary of the foundation of the building,

The Duke of Edinburgh will arrend the Trimity House Annual Court at Trimity House, the church service at St Olave's Church, and later luach with the Edder Brethered, at Trimity House, on June 10 Prince Richard of Gloucester will attend the annual meeting of the British Leprosy Relief Association at the Royal Society of Medicine, Wimpole Street, W. on June 12.

Mr C. C. Stevens was yesterday elected president of the Pharma-centical Society of Great Britain. Mr J. P. Bannerman was elected vice-president and Mr H. Steinman was reelected treasurer.

The funeral of Sir John Richard Woodman Burhldge took place privately in Oxford on June 3.

Birthdays today

Sir Isalah Berlin, 65; Professor B. Bleanev, 59; Lord Carrington, 55; Dame Ninette de Valois, 76; Sir Hatwood Harrison, MP, 67; Pro-Harwood Harrison. MP, 67; Professor R. A. Humphreys, 67; Lord Inchyra, 74; Major-General
R. C. M. King. 70; Lord Kings
Norton, 72; Lord Nugeur of
Guildford, 67; Sir Kenneth
Roberts-Wray, QC, 75; Mr R. C.
Sherriff, 78; Sir Philip Southwell,
80; Mr Antbooy Stodart, MP, 53;
Air Marshal Sir Hugh Walmsley,
76; Dame Roberts Whyte, 77.

Animal cells and bacteria can respond to certain chemicals by moving towards them. How can the cell detect the source of the chemical and know in which direction to move? An answer has been found for bacteria; now a biologist reports that a different mechanism operates in the human white blond cells, the leukocytes.

Leukocytes engulf and destroy bacteria after the bacteria have been immobilized by antibodies. Finding out how they know where to go is therefore important for our understanding of infection and immunity, and it may also provide clues to how embryos develop. In the process by which a spherical egg becomes a creature with legs and ears the organized movement of cells is very important.

There are two ways in which a cell could determine the source of a chemical signal. The so-called spatial "mechanism involves the cell baving detectors at different places on its surface. The cell would he able to compare the concentration of the chemical. Alternatively a "temporal" mechanism may be used by a cell with only one receptor on its surface. For one receptor to be adequate the cell must have a memory thar compares a previous concentration with the present one and thus tells the cell wester it is moving towerds or away from the source of the signal.

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source of the signal.

Dr Sally Zigmond, of the Strangeways Research Laboratory, Cambridge, has investigated whether horse leukocytes use the spatial or the temporal mechanism when moving towards several previous concentrations of

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Forthcoming marriages

Mr I. G. Sadier
and Miss P. Stirling
The engagement is announced
between Inn Graydon, only son of
Mr and Mrs R. A. Sadier, of Welford-on-Avon, Warwickshire, and
Penelope, elder daughter of Sir
Charles and Lady Stirling, of
Borovere, Alton, Hampshire.

Mr G. C. Botterill Miss C. M. Wilson

The eogagement is announced between Gilmour Charles, son of the late Major W. R. Botterill and of Mrs Botterill, of Limpsfield, Surrey, and Carolyn Margaret, eider daughter of the late Mr L T. Wilson and of Mrs C. Wilson, of The Old Bull House, Chertsey,

Mr A. Cornish and Miss L. Titlow
The engagement is amounced between Andrew, eldest son of Mr Victor Cornish, of 18 Gypsy Lane, Great Amwell, Ware, and Mrs H. M. Cornish, of 8 Church View. Broxbourne, Hertfordshire, and Mrs A. G. Titlow, of 7 Rye Hill Road, Harlow, Essex.

Mr J. Layta and Miss C. Miller The marriage will take place on june 20, 1974, in Norfolk, of James, son of Mr and Mrs G. D. Layte, of Newmay, Cornwall, end Caroline, daughter of Mr and Mrs P. B. G. Miller, of Norwich.

Mr P. R. H. Webber and Miss E. J. Walker
The engagement is announced between Peter, son of Mr and Mrs Leslie Webber, of Tewkesbury. Gloocestershire, and Jane, daughter of Major and Mrs Denzil Walker, of Loudon.

Mr C. P. Wheeler and Miss P. J. Davies
The engagement is announced between Carl Philip, younger son of Mr R. P. V. Wheeler, of Villa Sainta Clara, Biot, France, and Mrs W. Yates, of Stooe Cottage, Cocking, Sussex, and Philippa Jane, only daughter of Mr J. T. M. Davies, MC, MBE, and Mrs J. T. M. Davies, of Quarr House, Sway, Hampshire.

Marriage

Mr W. H. Proby and Miss M. A. Brentnall and Miss M. A. Brennall
The marriage took place on Saturday, June 1 at Ali Saints' Church,
Oakham, Rutland, of Mr William
Henry Proby, son of Mr and Mrs
Peter Proby, of Elton, Peterborough, and Miss Meredyth Aune
Brentnall, daughter of Dr and Mrs
David Brennall, of Orchard Close,

Oakham. The Rev A. D. Lowry-Corry officiated.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was attended by William Conant, Serena Everard and Miss Charlotte and Miss Charlotte proby Me. and Miss Christine Proby. Mr Andrew Gordun was best man. A reception was held at the bome of the bride.

Midsummer banquet

The Lord Mayor and the Lady Mayoress gave a banquet at the Mansion House last night in bonour of the arts, the sciences and learning. The toast of the arts, the sciences and learning was proposed by the Lord Mayor and Miss Carter Whitehorn (Mrs. Carter)

rosed by the Lord Mayor and Miss Katharioe Whiteborn (Mrs Gavin Lyall) responded. The bealth of the Lord Mayor and the Lady Mayoress was proposed by Sir James Tait, Vice-Chancellor of the City University.

After the banquet the Lord Mayor announced that the Midsummer Award, given by the Corporation of London for the arts, sciences and learning, had this year been awarded to Mr Georga Daniels for his outstanding contributions to horology.

within 50° of the most direct pain.
The cells tended to move for a short distance to a straight line, then to change direction and move for a sbort distance in the new direction.

In the first experiment, Dr Zig

In the first experiment, Dr Zigmood investigated in which direction the cells turned if they were moving at an angle greater than 30° from the most direct path to the source of the signal. If the mechanism was temporal, the cells would merely know they were getting closer to the signal all the time and they would not be aware that they were slightly off course; so the oext change of direction would be equally likely to be towards or away from the source of the signal. But if there was a spatial mechanism with more than two detectors, the cell would know precisely where the source of the signal was; if it was off course it would therefore be expected to change direction to the right course.

Dr Zigmond found that 15 of 16 cells that were off course changed direction so that their path was closer to the direct one. That suggests that the cells detect the source has a snaffal mechanism

Science report Biology: How cells know where to go

The engagement is announced and the marriage will take place on June 16 in Philadelphia between Timothy, second son of Mr E. W. Battersby, OBE, and Mrs Battersby, Moorside, Arbrook Lane, Esher, and Dona Hoff, of Philadelphia.

Mr P. H. Bovey and Miss J. A. McTear

The engagement is announced between Philip Henry, eldest son of Mr Norman Bovey, OBE, DSC, of Mr Norman Bovey, OBE, ISC, VRD, and Mrs Bovey, of Killock House, Laughton, Lunerworth, Leicestershire, and Jenet Alison, eldest daughter of Mrs Margaret McTear and the late Canon James M. McTear, of 21 Hinderton Drive, Heswall, Wirral, Cheshire.

Mr S. N. S. Kimber and Miss R. J. Tattersall and Miss R. J. Fairtson
The engagement is amnounced
between Simon, elder son of Mr and
Mrs D. B. Kimber, of Broughton,
Monks Road, Virginia Water, and
Rosemary, youngest daughter of
Canon and Mrs G. N. Tattersall, of
The Vicarage, Batley, Yorkshire.

and shiss w. Watt
The engagement is announced
between Roderick George, elder
son of Dr and Mrs H. Livingston, 21 Burnett Road, Streetly.
Staffordshire, and Willma, younger
daughter of Mr and Mrs W. Watt,
20 Craiglockhart Dell Boad, Edinburgh.

Mr P. N. Thomson and Miss T. Butler

the engagement is announced between Patrick Newlands Thom-son, of Stag Cottage, Zeals, Wilt-shire, only son of the late Mr and Mrs J. N. Thomson, and Tanis Burier, of The White House, Buckborn Weston, Dorset, only daughter of Mr G. W. Butler and

Mr N. A. Whittal-Williams and Miss E. A. Evans

The engagement is announced between Nicbolas, son of Mr and Mrs E. T. Whittal-Williams, of Pontrilas, Herefordshire, and Elizabeth, daughter of the late Professor T. E. Evans, CMG, OBE, end Airs Evans, of Bangor, North Wales.

Christening

The infant daughter of Lord and Lady Somerleyton was christened Louisa Bridget Vivien at St Mary's Church, Somerleyton by the Rev Dr E. C. Brooks on Sunday, June 2. The godparents are Mr Timothy Colman, Mr Alexander Matheson (for whom Major Fergus Matheson stood proxy), Mrs Christopher Blaxland and Mrs Andrew Napier (for whom Miss Pauline Sparks stood proxy),

Leverhulme

research awards

The trustees of the Leverhulme Research Awards have approved the award of the following fellow-ships and research grants tenable in Zuic. 1875-1890. R. Jeffeet, Vincense Canada alarch Sentor Research Fellow 1.00-tion Link: the Remissioner channels. J. S. Kelly, lecturer in Emilian and American herature, Kent Univ. to complete and concellia complete chinos of the jetters of the management of the complete chinos of the jetters of the management of the concelliance of the management of the prevention to the process industries. Mrs. S. Levit, director of studies and section rehyslotheralist, Centre les Sprace Children iche somikens of various systems of treament of certain's public children and allied disorders. K. L. Liule, Professor of African proposition in the modern sectors of African position in the modern sectors of African

chemical signal. The cells bad no memory of previous concentration of the chemical, so if they moved by a temporal mechanism their initial movements would be expected to be in a random direction. But she found that 18 cells moved towards the signal and only two away, a result very unlikely to occur if the cells moved randomly. That strongly suggest that leaks the leaks of the cells moved randomly.

That strongly suggests that leuko-cytes move towards a signal by comparing the concentrations of a

chemical at several points on their

Bacteria apparently use the other means of approaching a signal, the temporal mechanism. This difference between hacteria and leokocytes may he linked with their difference in size. Bacteria have a diameter only one twentieth tha size of leukocytes. So a mchanism for detecting a concentration difference across such a small distance.

ference across such a small distance would have to be impossibly

accurate.
Dr Zigmond's experiments were
done eo a very small scale: the
leukocytes were less than an inch

from the stimulant. So it is not

from the summant. So it is not possible to deduce that that is the means by which leukocytes find antibodies aggregated with bacteria in the body. But it should be possible to extend the experiments to find out what bappens in real life. By Nature-Times News Service.

Source: Nature, May 31, (249, 450: 1974)

Nature-Times News Service, 1974.

Latest estates include inct. before

Latest wills

surfaces

conservation areas.

HM Government
The Minister of State for Foreign
and Commonwealth Affairs, Mr
David Ennals, was host yesterday
at a luncheon held at Lancaster
House in honour of the Indian
Minister of State for External
Affairs, Mr Surendra Pal Singh,
The other guests were:
The indian Righ Commissioner, Sir Namusa
Rippung, Str. Michael Persons, Mr Anim
Heasia, Professor J. G. D. Clark, Mr David
Line, MP. Mr J. D. Singh, Mr Mark Dodd,
Mr Danglas Williams, Mr Peter Male, Mr
George Chalmers and Mr John Coles.

West Africa Committee
The annual general meeting of the
West Africa Committee was beld
yesterday at the Great Eastern
Hotel, preceded by a buffet luncheon at which the principal guest
was Vice-Admiral Sir 5tephen
Cartill, The chairman, Mr W. T. G.
Gares, presided, and Sir Evelyo
Hone gave an address.

The Chairman, Mr A. Macdonald, and members of the Brirish Insurance Association entertained at luncheon at Aldermary House, Queen Street, EC, yesterday Mr S. Clinton Davis, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State for Trade,

West Africa Committee

Luncheons

HM Governmen

A grant of £50,000 from the Department of the Environment has been made towards the cost of

improvements in Dean's Park, behind York Minster. The money, which represents half the estimated cost has been made under legislation that allows grants for work on outstanding

Mr Michael Meacher, Parliamentary

Under Secretary of State, Depart-ment of Industry, was host at a reception held at the Grand Hotel,

Brighton, last night in honour of

delegates to the Fédération Euro péene du Commerce Chimique.

Viscount Caldecote entertained members and friends of the Design

Council at a reception in the

Mr Ambrose Crawley and the

members of his chambers gave a

party yesterday evening at 1 Brick

Court, The Temple, to mark the

diamond jubilee in the Temple of

their clerk, Mr Edward Fuller, The

Lord Chancellor proposed the

health of Mr and Mrs Fuller, to which Mr Fuller replied. Others present included:

present included:
The Levi Chief Justice, Mr Justice Hollings,
Judge Finestein, OC, Mr S. Seuffert, OC,
Str Colin Duncin, OC, Mr Philip Owen, OC,
members of the Onter Bar, the President and
Chairman of the Barrytten Clerks Association and brother clerks.

House of Lords yesterday.

Receptions

HM Government

Viscount Caldecote

To Mr E, Fuller

Dinners

HM Government Her Majesty's Governm

Her Majesty's Government gave a dimer yesterday at Lancaster House in honour of the Deputy Foreign Minister of the Socialist Republic of Romania. Mr Roy Hattersley, Minister of State for Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs, was host. The Romanian Ambassador was among those

Royal College of Psychiatrists
Professor Str Martin Roth and Lady
Roth, with other members of the
Executive and Finance Committee
of the Council of the Royal College
of Psychiatrists gave a dinner in
honour of Dr Martin Cuthbert PastPresident of the Royal MedicoPsychological Association, and Mrs
Cuthbert at the Athenaeum last
night.

Brass rubbings centre

The redundant church of St Simon and St Jude in Norwich

has been opened as a centre for brass-rubbers with replicas of

nearly 40 famous brasses from churches in many parts of

Law Report June 5 1974

Queen's Bench Division

Estate duty recoverable as damages Davies v Whiteways Cyder Co of the Fatal Accidents Acts. Mr

aggregated antibodies. She placed the cells and the antibody un a small piece of glass and filmed the progress of the cells towards the antibody. She found that the cells moved very accurately towards the antibody; most of the time the direction they took was within 30° of the most direct path. The cells tended to more for a Before Mr Instice O'Connor

Ectore Mr Justice O'Connor [Judgmeot delivered May 22]
Estate duty on gifts and dispositions made by a man to his wife and son, which had to be paid because he was killed in a car accident within seven years, was held to be a recoverable head of damage againgt the driver whose damage against the driver whose admitted negligence resulted in the

damage against the driver whose admitted negligence resulted in the death.

His Lordship, in a reserved judgment, awarded £51,850 on a claim by the executors, the widow and son of Mr Denzil Davies, of St John'a Wood, London, who was killed on June 10, 1971, while driving his car with his wife as a passenger, in a collision with a lorry owned by Whiteways Cyder Co Ltd and driven by Mr Frederick Bowley, of Telford, Shropshire. Mrs Davies's claim for personal injuries was settled on the admission of Hability.

All Peter Pain, QC, and Mr James Mitchell for the plaintiffs; Mr John Wood, QC, and Mr David Smout for the defendants.

HIS LORDSHIP said that the only issue remaining was damages under the Fatal Accidents.

only issue remaining was damages under the Fatal Accidents Acts, 1846 to 1959. Mr. Davies had made gifes and dispositions not only to provide for his wife and son but also to reduce the amount of estate duty payable on his daysh. That result could be achieved only if

of the Fatal Accidents Acts. Mr Wood submitted that it was not because the payment to the revenue was not "injury resulting from the death" within section 2 of the 1846 Act, since payment of estate duty could not be described as the loss of the expectancy of future pecuniary benefit from Mr Davies and, in any event, it was not a loss of benefit accruing from the relationship of husband and wife or father and son but solely from that of donor and donee.

The law on those topics was

that of donor and donee.

The law on those topics was stated by Lord Justice Diplock in Malyon v Plummer ([1964] 1 QB 330, 348-349) where his Lordship referred with approval to the decision of Mr Justice Devlin in Burgess v Florence Nightingale Huspital for Gentlewomen ([1955] 1 QB 349), citing Sykes v North Eastern Railway Co ((1875) 44 LJCP 191) and Franklin v South Eastern Railway Co ((1858) 3 H & N 211). Burgess's case was still good law and could not support Mr Wood's submission. There were gifts to Mrs Davies There were gifts to Mrs Davies valued at £15.322, on which £6,654 estate duty had to he paid. Mr Wood further admitted that once the gifts had heen made the possible saving of estate duty, should Mr Davies have survived for aeven years, could not be said to be a pecuniary benefit which accrued to her from Mr Davies.

At first sight that appeared an

also to reduce the amount of estate duty payable on his death. That result could be achieved only if the dispositions were made at least seven years before death.

Mr Davies died aged SS witho seven years add oearly £40,000 was brought back for estate duty. About £17,000 had been paid, the hability being that of the beneficiaries.

Due major issue was wbether the £17,000 was recoverable by reason of £8,668; bad Mr Davies lived

another 21 years she would have benefited by a further £6,554.

The reality of such an arrangement was that a husband might say to his wife "I want to give your £15,000; I can only achieve this if I aurvive for seven years. I am making over to you £15,000 now, but for the heat seven years. making over to you 115,000 now, but for the next seven years it is worth only 19,000 to you because, should I die within that time, you will have to give £6,000 to the revenue. If I survive for seven years, then it is all yours."

revenue. If I survive for seven years, then it is all yours."

There was nothing in section 2 of the Fatal Accidents Act, 1846, or in the cases, which had cut down tha very wide words used and required his Lordship to hold that the £17,000 intended for Mr Davies's wife and child, hut which as a result of his death had to be paid to the revanue, could not be recovered. Do the contrary, to huld that it was recoverable seemed to his Lordship to be directly within the principle approved by Lord Wright in Davies v Powell Duffryn Associated Colheries Ltd (1942) AC 602, 611) and by Lord Reld in Taylor v O'Connor ([1971] AC 115, 1271. If his Lordship was correct in holding that the £17,000 was a loss of benefit which would have accrued if Mr Davies had survived, ir could not be suggested that it did not arise out of the relationship of busband and wife. Benefits reasonably anticipated did not cease to be recoverable because they were voluntary.

A deduction of £500 had to be made from the £17,000 to allow for the chance that Mr Davies might not have survived for the remaining period, and the total damage. period, and the total damage would be assessed at £51,850. Solicitors: Nabarro, Nathanson & Co ; Stanleys & Simpsoo North

A judge rich in common sense

duty paid; further duty may be payable on some estates):

Batkin, Mr Herbert Neil, of Prees.

Shropshire (duty paid, £12,598)

£148,566

Chidley. Phyllis Flizabath.

The Master of the Rulls, in the presence of all the Lords Justices to the late Sir "Herry" Phillimote, who retired as Lord Justice in April.

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Chidley, Phyllis Elizabeth, of Upton by Chester (dnty paid, £40,866)
Comber, Miss Ethel Oldham, of Newlyn (duty paid, £40,908)

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In April.

11 say 'Harry' because we all called him Harry 'Lord Denning said. ''It marks the affection we all had for him.

11 had for him.

12 He was the bearer of a name famous in our legal annals and he

added lustre to it. As an advocate he had a wide ranging practice over many fields. He was most effective in all. His style was quiet, con-versational and massuming. He law. He was one of the architects of the Archhistop's commission on divorce which in its
report. Putting Asunder, led the
way forward to the law which
makes the sole ground of divorce
the Irretrievable breakdown of the versational and unassuming. He was always coocise. He was able to pick out the points that really mattered and to press them home.

"All these qualities he brought to bear in his work as a judge. Not often did he interrupt connsel, but when be did it was to reveal the weakness in the argument or to add strength to it. Always he was rich to common sense. He would strip off the technicalities and get to the heart of the matter; and wheo he came to give judgment be expressed his reasons with such clarity that they convinced all who heard them. marriage. "He played a leading role in the Royal Commission on Assizes and Quarter Sessions, which trans-formed our legal system. Latest in his achievements was his chair-manship of the committee on the law of contempt of court.

law of contempt of court.

"But more to us than all these was his companionship and friendship. He was loved by all. He bore his last illness with supreme courage. Our nearts go out to his widow and family, to whom he was devoted."

Mr H. E. Francis, QC, on behalf of the Bar, said that the late lord Justice had been held in the highest regard by the Bar both as a judge and as a member of the Court of Appeal. He had carned a significant place in the annals

OBITUARY

PROF T. B. L. WEBS

An outstanding scholar

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tific) literature,

Professor T. B. L. Webster, don seminar on 15th Emeritus Professor of Greek which Michael Wand honorary Fellow of University College London, and Emeritary College London, and College Lon THE Professor of Classics at Stanford University, California, died in Stanford at the agn of 68 on May 31. He will be remembered se an outstanding scholar of his time, adventurous, prolific and wide ranging in his writing; 25 a teacher and colleague both in-

spiring and inspired. Son of Sir Thomas Lonsdale Webster, Clerk to the House of Commons, T. B. L. Webster was educated at Charterhouse and Christ Church, Oxford. Later he was to win the hearts of audiences at school speech days by his opening words: "It is a cardinal rule of aucient rhetoric cardinal rule of succent rhetoric to get your audience on your side from the very first sentence. I won all the prizes at my school." After Oxford he studied in Germany at Leipzig, where the humans lectures of Alfred Körte above all on Menander to phose tay, and inter-Altred Korte shove at on men-ander, to whose text and inter-pretation he was to make dis-tinguished contributions, hed a great effect on him. He re-turned to teach as a Student of Christ Church, and in 1931 at the age of 26 was appointed to the Hulme Chair of Greek in Moruments and (win Moraments and (wing Trendail) Illustrations of Drama; have deeply in modern production re-of Greek drama as well Manchester. The university and the people claimed his undying affection: articles, book notices, even leading articles in the Manchester Guardian flowed from his pen, the buying policy of the local galleries came under T. B. L. Webster had for friendship and a to: of pomposity or complace sixth sense enabled him possibilities latent in othe

of the local galleries came under his influence, and with the belp of a brilliant band of young classical scholars his teaching made a deep impact. More than 20 years after he left in 1948 to take up the Chair of Greek in University. College: London, good young scholars from Rochdale and Wigan still pursued him to Lundon. to Lmdon.

University College, his cantre for 20 years of unremitting activity, knew him as scholar, teacher, dean effective committee man; and above all as inventor and inspirer of the Institute of Classical Studies of the University of London, a focus for the dispersed colleges of a federal university and a forum for international scholarship. His activity as president of the Hellenic Society and vice-president, later president, of the Classical Association and of the Joint

friends. He bad for some later president, of the Classical given np tennis and son Association and of the Joint which he played well; he dischers was used by bim to quieter activities of walking promote collaboration at all listening—perhaps after a glevels of classical study. He ally frustrating committee set an admirable example by Berg's violin concerto or has promoting inter-disciplinary string quartets on the greeninars, most notably the Lon-phone.

DR SIDNEY CAMPBELL

Dr Sidney Campbell, MVO. PRCO, Organist and Master of the Choristers at St George's Chapel, Windsor Castle, died suddenly on Tuesday. He was nist. One of his major adia

Sr Perer's Collegiate Church. Wolverhampton, from 1943 to 1947, but first came into close touch with cathedral music as . Sub-Warden of the Royal School of Church Music at Canterbury, and then, from 1949 to 1953, as organist of Ely Cathedral, After three years as arganist of Sunth. Sr George's Conference How wark Carhedral and Director of but otherwise his original wa Musical Studies at the Royal School of Church Music be was School of Church Music be was perimental litanies and of appointed cathedral organist at liturgical music unique to Camerbury in 1956, leaving for George's. Windsor mourns Canterbury in 1956, leaving for his Windsor appointment in

Campbell, in his last two appaintments directed with great skill the music at cere-

monies such as Lambeth (64.

Dr Campbeil began in local ments was to plan the regressional music teaching until after he had obtained his FRCO in 1931. He was organist at St Peter's Collegiste Church of the Strangher of the Peter's Collegiste Church of the Strangher o panache.

While at Canterbury he co pnsed a Te Deum for the enthronement of the prese Archbishop of Canterbury at ar Windsor he composed w was, in effect, a compani was confined to settings for e Campbell the 48th in its line organists, a distinguished sa cessor in musicians of the ta bre of Marbeck, Farrant William Child.

France under an amos granted by the Popular Fra

government, although nationalistic movement was all

particular of the control of the con

MESSALI HADJ

sometimes authority; he spent some the arch of Alge in Switzerland returning t Messali Hadj. known as the Patriarch of Algerian Nationalism, died in France on Monday at the age of

Ir was calculated that he had spent over 30 years in prison. in intermnent, or under house. arrest. In 1962 he was freed after the signing of the Evian

In the years after the First once more in prison. He was world War when pulitical distinct the toils of the Vicky Content was awakening in Alge-ment in the Second World was awakening in Alge-ment in the Second World was a wardened to the way of the way ria, the main trends in Muslim thinking sought to explore all possibilities of integration with oile Nord-Africaine which de-manded complete independ-ence, withdrawal of all occu-pying tronps, and the creation of a national army.

Born in 1898 of working class

parents at Tlemeen he saw service in the French Army in the First World War and stayed on in France at the end of hostilities, marrying a Frenchwoman. He was for a time a member of the Communist Party and the the Communist Party and the training the party gave him left its imprint on him. He later founded Al Onmina, a nationalist paper and in 1929 was imprisoned for the first time and the paper hanned. and the paper hanned.

After further brusbes with

Today's engagements

The Duke of Edinborgh, as president of the British Amateur Athletic Board, presents London Athletic Cinb centenary trophy to Mr Andrew Carter, and the Sybil Abrahams memorial trophy to Miss Verona Bernard, Buckingham Palace, 11; takes salute at Beating Retreat by the massed bands, pipes and drums of the Household Division, Horse Guards Parade, 6: attends annual dinner of the British Helicopter Advisory Board, Hyde Park Hotel, 8.15.

Queen Elizabeth the Queen Mother attends hall given by the officers of the Irish Guards, Lincoln's Inn. 11 pm.

Princess Margaret, as patron, attends Union of Girls' Schools for Social Service Reception, for the benefit of the Feckham Settlement, Westminster Abbey,

The Duke of Kent, accompanied by the Duchess, raviews the in-pensioners, Royal Rospital, Chelses, Founder's Day, 10.50.

hut in 1943 was pardoned b. General Girand. At the end the war he was restored possionates of integration with triumph principal national property of the principal national posed to all auch policies. As early as 1925 he founded L'Et. other Algerian leaders and a ported to Brazzaville. By the time he was released in 199 ather younger men bad comst the fore to lay the foundation of a seizure of independent through rebellion.

In the year of his release it founded the movement for the Triumph of Democratic Line ties (MTLD) from which bat the Algerian Nationalist Morment (MNA) and the FL were to emerge. The irrepressible Messali Hadj was arresse for the last time in 1952 at taken to France where movements were restricts until 1962, when Algerian inde-pendence was finally achieved

25 years ago From The Times of Munday, Joseph

From Our Special Correspondent

Danish rejoicing

From Our Special Correspondents
Copenhagen, June 5.—A century
ago, when revolutionary liberalist
was shaking Europe, a wind
Danish King gave his country of
pass peacefully from absolution was
parliamentary government.
Lime 5, 1849, granted by King
Frederik VII was celebrated hist
today in ceremonies in which the
Danes were joined by represent
tives of all the Scandinavian families
of nations together with the of nations together with Speaker of the House of Co

Speaker of the House of Common and 11 other representatives of the United Kingdom Parliament. The celebrations began with King Frederik IX, the Print, Minister, and the Presidents of the two Houses of the Rigadag placing wreaths on the statue outside Christiansborg Castle which com-memorates King Frederik VII.

HAIGLAND FASHION Longer skirts, briefer tops and larger Haigs.

Don't be vague. The best dressed girls are drinking Haig.





clarity that they convinced all who heard them.

"It was be who supported the widow's cause when he declared that in assessing compensation the prospects of remarriage should not be taken into account—a fact later made law by Parliament; and his influence. Iounded on experience, was decisive in the judgments of the Court of Appeal in the important case of Wachtel in Wachtel [1973] Fam 72) concerning the wife's share.

"Outside the courts he contributed much to the reform of the

of the law.

Mr Bruce Holroyd Pearce, QC, on behalf of those who had been in Lord Justice Phillimore's chambers, associated himself with the minutes.

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vised City le sets out v rules on ndatory bids

trols on share deal-bid has lapsed and a rion of persons " actrt " are contained in t version of the City eovers and Mergers,

dinents have been City Working Parry, h represents the big tions, and the CBI. was undertaken at of the Panel last r that certain "am-l inconsistencies" in s of the Code should

es announced today expected and are portant of them re-circumstances in er of shares incurs to make a general

new rule 35, the bolding at or above ral requirement to enforced has been ceot of the voting main section of the ds as follows : ith the consent of

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ability of all such bids, but while they will still require Panel consent no opprobrium now attaches to bids for under 30 or

consent no opprobrium now attaches to bids for under 30 or over 50 per cent.

In the latter case, however, the hid must be supported hy the recipient's directors and must be accepted by bolders of at least half the voting shares not already owned hy the bidder and those acting in concert with him. Thus to succeed at all a partial bid must enoy the majority support of the outside shareholders.

Partial bids which would result in the hidder and those acting in concert with him holding between 30 and 50 per cent of the voting shares are in general undesirable and will only be permitted in special circumstances. The bidder must state that precise number of shares for which he is hidding and must reach that level in order to go unconditional.

Two new rules have been introduced to curh share purchases in the wake of an offer. A bidder may not make any further purchases of the offeree's shares within 12 months after a successful partial offer or any other offer which failed by lapsing without going unconditional. The purpose is to avoid situations where new hids are required shortly after old ones have run where new hids are required shortly after old ones have run

Persons acting in concert have been redefined to comprise individuals or companies, who, pursuant to an agreement or understanding (whether formal or informal) actively cooperate, through the acquisition by any of them of shares in a company, to obtain shares in a company, to obtain or consolidate control of that

or consolidate control of that company."

Prima facie, the list would include parent, subsidiary fellow-subsidiary and associate companies; directors, their closs relatives and related trusts; a company's pension fund; investment trusts and unit trusts accustomed to act on a company's instruction; and a a company's instruction; and a financial adviser controlling at least 5 per cent of a company's

The new Code also includes rmer rules 34 (on a fee new Code also includes various amendments arising directly from specific Panel rulings made since the last revision in February, 1972.

Thus formal offer documents these tree rules must now include a full characteristics. these two rules must now include a full statement of all conditions; if any of them are not fulfilled the

It is made clear that offers may be withdrawn only in exceptional circumstances; the concept of "effective control" is replaced by the definitive figure of 30 per cent throughy bid must be in tents of an offer document companied by a (including the consequences of a though in some a bid for employees) are set

nel might insist out in greater detail. the best of holdings and dealings and dealings and dealings and method to the highest one irrevocably committed to be actioned that a lower in a lowe acceptances will now he re-quired if an offer fails or is

State takes half share in machine tool group

By Edward Townsend

The Department of Industry has taken a 50-per cent share in a new holding company formed to control Kearney and Trecker Marwin, the Brighton machine tool makers.

Under the terms of a scheme announced yesterday tha Government is to inject £3.5m into the ecompany and new management expertise is to be supolied by the Vickers engineering group.

In return Vickers has been granted ao option to acquire a controlling interest in KTM by not later than the end of April, 1976.

The Government already has a 9.1 per cent stake in KTM held via the Department of Industry. While the Vickers option could while the Vickers option could reduce the Government's new 50 per cent holding at some later date, the Government still has at some stage to state its policy towards the public ownership of the United Kingdom machine tool industry.

Once final terms have been agreed, it is understood that Vickers will supply at least half of KTM's main board directors although the local Brighton man-agement will remain unchanged. agement will remain unchanged.
The scheme also lays down
that £1.9m of secured loans held
equally by the Department of
Industry and Industrial and
Commercial Finance Corporation will be capitalized in the
form of preference shares in the
holding company.

KTM, which was formed last
year by the mercing with gov-

year by the merging with government assistance of the British subsidiary of Kearney and Trecker of Milwankee in the United States with Marwin Machine Tools, has been regarded by the British Government as something of a "showpiece" in the British machine tool industry.

It is a leading manufacturer of technologically advanced numerically controlled milling machines and machining centres and important manufacturer of transfer machines for the motor

industry.
The Department's statement last night stated that it, the ICFC and other sbareholders have now decided that the company requires additional capital and the management resources of a powerful industrial group to enable it to realize its full potential.

"The provision of up to £3.5m additional working capital under the Industry Acr restifies to the national importance of main-taining this important advanced sector. of the machine tool industry as a supplier to British industry and to world export markets and as an employer of skilled workers."

Since the new Government came into office, it is understood a number of schemes have been under consideration to enabla forther government funds to be injected into the company which is badly in need of cash to finance expansion plans over the next few years.

However, it is thought that the Department of Industry was keen to supply the money only if a major industrial partner could be found.

The new deal is bound to ncrease speculation about the Government's nationalization plans, The Labour Party manifesto named the machine tool industry as one of the candidates

Gold price up sharply in nervous market

suggesting the gold market

series of important international monetary conferences and meet-

States Treasury Secretary, con-tributed to the rise in the gold price by his reported remark gible progress in settling the gold issue at a meeting of finance ministers in Washington

Other rumours centred on the French franc which weakened on the foreign exchanges. There was some speculation about a devaluation of the French currency (although as it is floating, this would be difficult) and a possible closure of the Paris currency market.

Dividend hopes

Further suggestions that res-traint on dividends may be eased when Phase Three expires this autumn, inspired a further advance in share prices yester-

Turnover was somewhat restrained by the attraction of the Derby, but a general rise in industrial equities pushed the FT index up by 5.6 points to 285.9 and The Times index by 1.96 to 113.37.

In late dealings, gold shares scored fresh gains after activity in the bullion market. In contrast to the recent trend, gilts Berwick Timpo

US Treasury Secretary expects agreements on currency floats and progress on gold rules

Mr William Simon, the United States Treasury Secretary, in his first major speech sinca taking office last month, said today at the International Monetary Conference here that he expected agreements next week on general guidelines for floating curreacies and on a new definition of special draw-

Most importantly, be noted that the meeting of the Commit-tee of Twenty ministers "can work towards new rules for gold which would both assist nations in responding construc-tively to current alterations in their payments positions and facilitate practical steps to-wards the agreed objective of a diminishing monetary role for that metal."

ing rights.

Bankers here sea this as the first clear statement by a United States Treasury chief of willingness by the Americans to take a more flexible position on gold and to consider changing the present official gold price. The idea of a new Council for Devalopment Aid is largely

viewed as a sort of consolation to developing countries as a result of the total failure by tha Committee of Twenty to agree on the link between special

Talks today

Representatives of the prin-cipal bankers of Wilstar Securi-

ties, the parent company of Mr William Stern's private finan-cial and property interests, will attend a formal meeting today

to consider the future of the

They are expected to decide whether the liquidation of the

non-trading parent company, hut not the operating substi-diaries, would help solve the group's casb problems.

This follows the formation of a committee of bankers in May under the chairmanship of Mr

Kenneth Cork, a City account-ant, to discuss with Wilstar a scheme for the orderly realiza-tion of group assets. All the hig four clearing banks are involved with the group.

£100m last June.
A transfer of some of the

group's operations to an admi-

nistrator acting for creditors, a solution recently adopted under

the possibilities under discus-

Talks also continued yester-

day between leading property

groups over assistance for developers urgently needing financial support. Members of the commercial property committee of the National Association of Property Owners (NAPO) are considering aid for a number of groups including

a number of groups, including the quoted Guardian Properties

It is widely assumed in tha City that the Baok of England

Some members of the NAPO committee are believed to oppose the principle of property.

companies assuming responsi-hility for the borrowings of

other companies in trouble. They consider that this could compound the liquidity troubles

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Beecham Grp
Bowater Corp
De La Rue

Anglo Am Corp
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How the markets moved

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of Wilstar

By John Plender

company.

From Prank Vogl drawing rights distributions Williamshurg, Virginia, June 5 and aid.

Mr Simon said that what would bappen to the funds gained by oil-prodocing countries was now a major worry. He said: "It seemed a fair expectation that a large propor-tion of the obligations will be denominated in American dollars and that nitimately con-siderable amounts of the funds will find their way into the highly developed capital markets of the industrial world, particularly that of the United

He said the United States He said the United States markets could digest vast sums, noting that equity and debt securities outstanding here at the end of last year amounted to about \$1,800,000m (ahout £750,000m). However, he was seriously worried about developments in the Euromarkets.

He pointed out that outstanding obligations in the Euromarkets were believed to bave grown to about \$150,000m by the and of last year, against \$100,000m at the end of 1972, and that the growth rate of the market appeared to have fur-ther accelerated in the first few months of this year.

the danger of banks in the danger of banks in the market borrowing sbort-term meeting ministers from Saudi and lending long-term in ever Arabia tomorrow and oo Friday

This time the deal involves the

sale for around £31m of Slater, Walker's operational interests in

Germany to the Bowater Cor-poration. The deal was put to-

gether by Mr Slater and his former colleague in Slater,

Walker, Mr Malcolm Horsman.

Mr Horsman is deputy chair-

man and joint managing director of Bowater, which took over Ralli International, the commo-dity trading and financial group

he founded in 1970 after leaving Slater, Walker. Bowater is acquiring the whole

issued ordinary sbare capital of Slater, Walker Bank AG from a

A number of secondary and overseas banks, as well as the Crown Agents and leading investment institutions, bave advanced money to subsidiaries of the group, which owned property assets valued at well over \$\frac{100m}{20m}\$ last fune.

By Anthony Rowley

Slater, Walker sells

Slater, Walker Securities is converting yet more of its investments into cash—described last week hy Mr Jim Slater, the SWS chairman, as "the optimum investment" in itself.

This time Securities is the German bank (which had been a lossmaker) and Colditz was heing disposed of at close to the price Slater, Walker acquired it for. Both deals were at asset value, the spokesman added.

German interests

greater volumes. He was also and that he would stress that fearful of increasing losses by lower oil prices would be a banks oo the foreign exchange major benefit to all countries

He noted with this in mind that "I am sure that, in the light of some recent experiences, banks will in future monitor the activities of their foreign departments with in-creased care. Bank regulators, also, have a responsibility to exercise greater surveillance in this area".

Earlier, Mr Simon said he expected some lowering of international oil prices. He added that greater surveillaoce of the Euromarkets was necessary, and that possibly eight major decisions might be taken at the meeting of finance ministers in Washington next week, including one establishing a special ministerial council to aid developing countries.

He said inflation was now the major economic problem to face the United States. Final passage in Congress of the Trade Reform Bill would be expected this summer, and the Administration welcomed efforts now being made in Congress to eliminate withholding and extent taxes on foreign and estate taxes on foreign portfolio iovestments.

the German bank (which had

In turn, Mr Horsman empha-

sized that the aggregate con-sideration of around DM21.3m

sideration of around DM21.3m
Bowater is paying was not payable until December 30, 1977,
and that the transaction is
interest free io the meantime.

Both the baok and Colditz
were about breaking even. "I
was unwilling to pay money
which would give bim (Mr
Slater) money in his haods while
I had none", Mr Horsman said.
But he was confident Bowater
could improve the performance

could improve the performance of each company. The bank would fit in well with Bowater's existing banking interests. It carries on a full range of bank-

ing activities.

Bowater already has 88 per

Bowater already has 88 per cent of a small quoted company called Wickrather (leather tanning) in Germany. This was a sort of shell company operation. It also has a majority interest in a Rhine shipping company. Some reshuffling of the German industrial interests may onw take place.

lower oil prices would be a major benefit to all countries and that this was ao area "in which international cooperation can play a role of vital impor-tance in combating worldwide

inflation " A good deal of Mr Simon's speech was devoted to the decisions that may be taken at next week's meeting of the Committee of Twenty on international monetary reform. He said this presented for an opposite the committee of the com meeting presented "an oppor-lunity, if we succeed, to announce a sizable package of significant measures, maoy of which could he implemented

promptly ". One agreement could be no a change in the International Monetary Fund's articles of agreement to provide that governments would not introduce new restrictions of subsidies on current account transactions for balance of payments putposes without the coocurrance of the

Such an agreement, he said, would build upon the temporary pledge agreed by ministers last week at the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development. It would involve more countries than the OECD pledge, and supplement the work of the IMF and the World

Bank. Euromarket worries, page 2

exploit oil

search skill

Britain ought to redouble its

efforts to exploit North Sea technology and should be pre-paring to export the techniques

learned, the National Ecocomic

Development Council agreed at its June meeting yesterday.

After the meeting, officials

said there was a strong feeling that Britain should be making

the running io the technology involved in deep sea, had weather exploration, but at

present was leaving too much of the field for overseas, particularly American, compaoies.

Mr Eric Varley, Secretary of State for Energy, told the council that several important decisions were about to be taken on energy. The choice of the next generation of nuclear reactors

generation of nuclear reactors would be decided within the next few weeks, and he was also reexamining policies on offshire oil, including a deple-

Mr Denis Healey. Chancel-lor of the Exchequer, reem-phasized that the country could look forward to sostained and

steady growth into the 1980s as

Energy policy: Britain urgently

oeeds a national energy policy to lay down guidelines for

a result of its iodigenous power

reserves.

direction.

By Malcolm Brown

Food retail groups offer deal on price controls

By Maurice Corina Industrial Editor

A price control deal on various foodstuffs has been offered to the Government hy Britain's voluntary huying groups Mace, Spar Vivo, and VG, which supply 12,000 food shops.

They propose a six-month plan to impose maximum retail prices on basic commodities considered to be of overriding importance to people on lower incomes. They include bread, polatoes, cheese, powdered baby milks, chicken, lamb, butter, flour, sngar and beef.

The prices to he set will cover costs and yield a minimum net profit only. Further there will be price promotional activity oo other goods, drawn from a list including eggs, sausages, tea, coffee, margarine, cooking fats, rice, and baby

Both the maximum prices and the selected "promoted" prices will be highly publicized, with posters to shops. A spokesman for the leading

buying groups said last night:
"The groups suggest that this
package should constitute a voluntary agreement to last for six months, subject to contin-uing product and promotional support from their suppliers.

UK urged to "In return, they bave asked for an undertaking from the Government not to introduce any further legislation or take any other action on grocery prices and distributors' margins."

The offer comes after a series of meetings hetween the buying groups' executives and Mrs Shirley Williams, Secretary of State for Prices and Con-sumer Protection, as well as with various trade associations.

Clearly, the Government will he pleased at this attempt to bold down food prices. But it was poloted out last night that many of the retailers who would be involved on not bave turnovers covered by the Government's request for a 10 per cent cut in gross profit refer-ence levels.

Oil chiefs silent on outcome of Aramco talks

Geoeva, Juoe 5.—Delegates representing Saudi Arabia and four United States oil companies left Geneva today after meeting for unofficial talks concerning Arahian American Oil Company (Aramco). The delegates from Exxon Corporation, Texaco, Standard Oil of California and Mobil Oil Corporation and The Saudi Arabiao delega-ion, beaded by oil minister Shaikh Ahmed Yamani, declined to answer questions.

Aramco is owned 75 per cent Aramco is owned 75 per cent by the four United States oil companies and 25 per ceot by Saudi Arahia. Under present arrangements, the Saudi share will rise to 51 per cent by 1982, but Shaikh Yumani last month said that a "completely different" arrangement was expected to be finalized by midsummer.— N. Dow Lones

Slater, Walker bad founded oow take place. Mr Cork at the troubled Lyon Group, is helieved to be one of Bank chief backs SD flexibility

trial interests within SWS.

interests concerned represented

some of the few remaining indus-

Mr Gordon Richardson, the Governor of the Bank of England, last night defended the recently introduced arrange-ments of supplementary Special

Deposits. It was the flexible use of Special Deposits, be said, which bad enabled interest rates to be reduced in April when temporary fluctuations in the Government's transactions could have left the market sbort of funds and renewed the upward pressure on interest rates.

Mr Richardson was speaking

which admitted to liquidity difficulties in March. Mr Peter Anker, managing director of MEPC, said yesterday that members of the committee had not yet reached any decisions. at the annual conference of the Trustee Savings Banks' Associa-tion in Eastbourne. He admitted city that the Baok of England is keen to encourage this kind of support. Last night, however, a spokesman for the Bank confined himself to saying that the Bank was anxious that property company collapses should be avoided. that supplementary Special Deposits could be regarded as a corset for the banking industry but added that the advantages of the new arrangements were "overriding".

He said: "They bave eocour-

aged banks to reconsider a practice, to which a number were becoming prone, of taking on substantial leading commitments without giving sufficient thought to the continued availability of an appropriate volume resources."
Slump talk 'nonsense', page 20

Barclays tests Franklin views

New York, June 5.—The approach made by Barclays Bank to the Federal Reserve authorities about a possible in-terest in the ailing Fracklin National Bank appears to be only exploratory. Barclays wants to be sure that

t is not rebuffed, as it was wheo t tried to take over the Long Island Trust, so it bas simply been making soundings about the reaction to any move it might make.

Williamsburg, June S: Mr Aothony Tuke, chairmao of Barclays, who is atteoding the In-ternational Monetary Coofer-ence here, said be considered it "very unlikely" that his bank would take over the Fraoklin.

Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation raised its profits for the six months to March 31 from £12.77m to

P & O profits surge

£26.3m from gross revenue of £138.7m against £107m. The interim dividend is up from 2.5p to 3p a sbare gross. Financial Editor, page 21

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strongly with copper up £49; tin. £197,50; lead. £13; zloc. £35, and LME silver. 12p. Coffee futures moved ahead with gains ranging to £7.50. Sugar futures eased hut the Loodon daily price was raised another £2; o £248. Reuters index advanced 10 points to 1,308.6.

Reports, pages 24 and 25 Switzerland Fr 7.25 US 5 2.45 Yugoslavla Dor 36.25 7.00 2.40 34.25 Rates for bank notes only, as supplied reflected by Barchay Bank international Lat. Different rates apply to transflery cheques and other terrigin currency business.

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future planning, according to Dr Gilbert Armstronge, a member of the Coofederation of British Industry's eoergy policy committee. Dr Gilhert, in an article io the latest CBI Review, suggests that a central planning hody should control supplies and prices and provide overall Training needs, page 20 summer.—AP-Dow Jones.

BUYS AMERICAN

The investment policy set out in our last Annual Report was maintained in the first four months of this year.

We contioued to add to our American portfolio, considering that the successive falls in the value of the dollar have strengthened America's competitive position. Moreover, for some time to come the U.S.A. will be much better placed for energy supplies than

Apart from these purely economic factors, our preference for the United States is also based on more general considerations.

EFFICIENT ECONOMIC ORGANISATION

We have the impression that the American public thinks more of high marks for "salisfying consumer needs" than the European. Attaching proper value to efficient economic organisation and giving pride of place to the best economic leaders cannot to the end

Besides these basic factors, other influences are making them-Besides these basic factors, other influences are making themselves felt in the shorter term. Just now the depressing factor is
interest, whipped up as it is both by the high rate of economia
activity and by inflation. The moment inflation is pushed back and
loses its grip on interest rates, share prices on the New York Stock
Market can begio to reflect the basically favourable factors.
Anticipating this development we have increased our American
investments by more than 170 million guilders.

By the end of April we hed sold nearly Dirs. 150 million forward
to provide a hedse against the currency risk inherent in our portfolio.

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EUROPEAN PORTFOLIO LITTLE CHANGED

In the first four months of this year our European portfolio has undergone only moderate changes. Availing ourselves of improving share prices we slightly reduced our holding in Dutch local stocks. lo Japan, too, we have taken a proot on some holdings in an advancing market.

Australia's abundant raw material resources and her basically favourable perspectives have induced us to add somewhat to our

At 1st May 1974, the value of a ROBECO share was Fls. 185 compared with Fls. 201 at 1st January 1974—a decrease of about 5° a taking into account the stock distribution.

The exchange offer made to UTILICO shareholders has resulted in the issue of 582,000 ROBECO shares, 176,000 new shares were issued through the Stock Exchange to meet the international cemand from jovesiors.

Copies of the full Interim Report, the last Revisal Report and a descriptive bookles may be obtained from the Company's Secretariate.

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OF FOUNDRY BUILDERS AND COATINGS RESIN TREATED ONVERSION PRODUCTS INCLUDING MATTERY SEPARATORS, LTERS. DECORATIVE LAMINATES AND SYNTHETIC VENEERS ncreased 22%-Pre-Tax profits up 26%:

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> Taxation	2,829,799 252,913	2,314,844 200,339
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ing are extracts from the Statements of the Chairman. i, prosented to the A.G.M. held on June 5th.

sat pleasure to report a record year of sales and profit. les increased by 22% from £2,314,844 to £2,829,799, offis by 26% from £200,339 to £252,913. The increased thon Tex amounced in the recent budget increased the e on the year's profit and required an increase in tax ha total taxation charge being £137,279 compared with

The major increase in activity has once again been in and conversion activities, but this year there has also noted increase in foundry binders and coatings. ear of good progress with increased sales and profit. p achieved better production and sales levels during

week than at one time had been considered possible.
I'm quarter's figures are much better than anticipated. he uncertain conditions prevailing during the power is Company pushed sheet with its expension plans, their 5300,000 investment in new impregnating equipment secessary buildings to house it. This new equipment

ing by the middle of the year. the problems experienced earlier in the year, the owth is being maintained although we are having to substantial and frequent increases in raw malerial costs lain shortages, which could limit our expansion in 1974.

1 appointment of Chairman Officing myself for re-election to the Board. man has been elected to succeed me as Chairman. He ompany in 1937, joined the Board in 1955 and was larged Director in 1958. He has managed the allairs of with outstanding success. Supported by three younger tieve the Company will progress to greater levels of in sales and profits, in the continuing improvement in our products and in the excellent relations with the local.

ur customers and our employees.

Financial Editor, page 21 for public ownership.

Tha gold price jumped sharply on world bullion markets yes-terday, rising \$8.50 an ounce, to cinse at \$163. Dealers reported active demand for the metal in the later part of the day following a flurry of rumours

would be closed today. Moch nervousness has developed on the currency and gold markets because of the

ings. Mr William Simon, the United that he hopes to see some tan-

inspire equities

day,

Gold soared \$8.50 to \$163.

Equities moved ahead sharply. Glit-edged securities had a sub-dued session.

Sterling rose 83 points to \$2,4090. The "effective devaluation " rate was 16.94 per ceot.

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C. E. Heath & Co. Moulinex 23 Company Notices: Issuing Houses Association The Rubber Regenerating Company

Elimination of national subsidies to the European shipbuilding industry is advocated in a report which will be discussed report which will be discussed says, and suggests that the pro-in a debate on the shipbuilding posed directive should remain industry at the European Parliament next week.

The report, prepared by par-liament's economic and monetary affairs committee reaches different conclusions on finan- end of this decade and chalcial aid for the industry from those reached in another report prepared by the social affairs and employment committee which will also be discussed. In view of the heavy dependence of several big companies in Britaio on government assistnoce and government plens to

nationalize the industry the dehate has important implica-The economic and monetary affairs committee report is critical of the European Commis-sion's third draft directive on lt complains shipbuilding. It complains about the vagueness of the

Slump talk

nonsense

By Melvyn Westlake

ciation in London.

described as

The talk frequently heard

about the likelihood of a major

cconomic slump was described

the Equipment Leasing Asso-

Choosing to adopt an optimis-tic tone. Mr Barnett said he be-liaved the present fears about

reducad company liquidity were

greatly exaggerated re-minding his audience of the

Obviously, there had heen some rise in bank borrowing, but nothing at all resembling a crisis, Mr Barnett said.

The Government's policy was to "move away from very high interest rates."

Mr Barnett was also hopeful

ebout inflation. He noted that metal prices bad fallen signifi-cantly during May. Food manu-

cantly during May. Food manufecturing Import prices had fallen by more than 4 per cent, and subsidies already in operation would recirc the rise in the retail price index

Mr Frederick Shapland, chaltman of the Equipment Leasing

Associatioo, put in a plea for more stability and e " little more fine tuning" by the Government

Violent changes of course in

the economy were extremely difficult for the leasing industry

and all other industries to cope

He revealed that the association was baving discussions with the Department for Prices and Consumer Protection about the effects on leasing of the present regulations to control prices.

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interest rates

directive and gives it only grudging acceptance. More specific rules would appear necessary, the report next year when a more precise

policy should replace it. The committee fears substantial world ever-capacity by the lenges the Commission's view that the improvement of the competitive position of Euro-pean shipbuilders should be achieved through a restructurion of the industry and coordinated investment at Community

The committee proposes that necotiations should take place at international level through the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development cooperation and Development for a complete abolition of existing aids and should draw up a timetable for the aboli-tion of aids throughout the Community.

The committee advocates that ployed in industries which are Community rules should be formulated on bow, and to what building. extent, national investment aid should be granted to shipbuild-

with its proposal for partial investment guidance", the raport says, "the Commission is eotering a field which may lead to new forms of distortion of competition. If this Commission proposal is adopted it might cuoceivably encourage competition between member states, to ensure themselves the greate possible share in the future European shiphuilding capacity over the coming years, oo the assumption that they will be financed in part by the Commu-

The secood report from the posed aid to shiphuilding workers from the Community social fund. It also calls for this assistance to be extended to embrace other workers emprated or aiming at worldwide competitiveness at any price, without aid, the object should be to ensure the development of Community shipwards", it said. social

International bankers concerned

On the broader aspects of Community policy the commit-tee's views conflict sbarply with those of the other report. The objective of Community policy, says the social affairs report, must be the development of a dynamic and competitive shipbuilding industry. The proposed measures should be aimed at guaranteeing continued employmeet so that workers are not compelled to leave shipyards to seek employment io other areas or countries

"Rather than discontinuing aid, careful consideration should be given to coordinating it in order to guarantee its effectiveness and real impact. Instead of aiming at world-

Shortage of skilled men 'may imperil | Telephones: frustrations oil hopes'

By Edward Townseod

Sir Denis Barnes, chairman of the Manpower Services Commisthe Manpower Services Commis-sion, issued a warning yesterday that the exploitation of Britain's offstore oil could be in jeopardy unless employers accepted the main responsibility for training their own labour.

He said in Glasgow that meet-He said in Glasgow that meeting the demands for skilled labour would pose a challenge for all conceroed. He called on the engineering industry to contider the control of t sider urgently tha provisions it should make to safeguard the future supply of trained man-

In making his comments. Sir Denis bas joined the growing ranks of industrial leaders and organizations to express concern about the shortage of skilled workers. The process plant in-dustry in particular, facing a huge boom in demand, needs about 20,000 skilled workars to meet contracts from such sectors as the oil, chemical and power

Sir Denis said that the development of offshore oil had two important consequences for skilled manpower. The first was to try to ensure that the right skills were available to get that it is to get the still shore. oil ashore. Secondly, the demands for

skilled labour for oil would af-fect the supply of manpower in other sectors of the engineering industry, sbiphuilding and large capital construction projects such as oil refineries and power

'Return bottles' appeal as supplies are cut

By Business News Staff Large-scale public coopera tion in returning glass bottles has been called for by the soft drinks industry because of the hig cutback in production being implemented this week by glass

cootainer manufacturers.

The country's big dairies also are increasingly concerned that the supply of milk bottles could begin to slow down next week and the Dairy Trade Federation last night stressed the need for milk bottles to be returned.

The glass makers are being forced to cut output by 50 per ceot because of a corresponding drop in supplies of soda ash from the dispute-hit ICI plant in Cheshire. Weekly production losses of up to 35 million con-

occur next week.

A spokesman for Unigate,
one of Britain's biggest dairy concerns, said that appeals to the public to return milk bottles bed resulted in an improvement

of up to 50 per cent. Soft drink manufacturers building up to their peak bottl-ing period to meet high summer sales, expressed concern. How-

For a country that depends on export, the effective functioning of the talephone system would obviously appear to be a very major requirement. Cannot something be done 2.1. something ba done? I am sure country? To ring any Loodon number from any part of the United States seems to be a very easy transaction. The operator there are many among your readers who have had similar experiences over at least the past five years. Yours faithfully, answers at once, connexion is made instantly. If, in reverse, one endeavours to contact any part of the States, one either can dial the number or ring the

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

T. L. BLAU, Managing Director, Camera Press Limited, Russell Court, Coram Street, London, WC1. From Mr K. S. Bastree

no eogaged signal, hnt a clear ring tone there is no reply. I bave tried to enlist the help of the operator (by dialling 100) but he is equally unhelpful. Ha just assures me, in tones of awe or anger, that "they are very husy", whether they give the engagad signal or otherwise.

Last night I tried at 10 pm, 10.30 pm, 11 pm, 11.30 pm to ring 107 in order to be in touch with a number in Los Angeles. I spent at least 15 minutes each Sir. It is understood that massive increases in the charges for telephoning are being de-Is this an answer to the mount-

ing deficits of our communications system?

Or would it be more "profitable" to increase efficiency within the organization?

Restriction and Isle of Wight

Portsmouth and Isle of Wight (Section 284/5) subscribers are still suffering a 1972 Directory—tatterad and patched with Sellotape, and hopelessly ont of date. The new edition was scheduled for 1973. It was then promised for June, 1974, and

now nobody dare say!
How long is inefficiency to be excused by "industrial action"? I am. Sir, yours faithfully, KENNETH S. BAWTREE, Church Farm, South Harring, Petersfield, Hampshire.

It was stated that the loan

There may he a case for government loans to building societies, but in view of the statements in the chairman's statement, was it either neces-

sary or immediately purposive for the Halifax to take up this

particular loan?

Yours faithfully,

17 that the report of the P Committee on British mark law and practice of Zurich to London but not from London to Stockholm or Zurich. a recommendation that be at long last brought with that of many other tries in providing for the tration of trade marks in the state of the st of services as well as of A further recom

Trademarks

Sir, Those engaged in the

news in Business News of

From Mr E. Taylor

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important in view of interest of adversion ordering, is that the right by registration should extended to include their ion of mauthorized more of a trade mark. And there is no infringeness there is no infringer the offending mark is material form. The makes many other recons tions which will appeal a professionally involved in

marks. A striking passage report is the statement a result of their invest the committee believe well-conducted trade; registry is of great values development of trade and merce in the United Kin Will this excellent repo

duced at great cost in and thought, be, as Adrian fears, yet another to be cal the ability and enthusia get it translated into I tion? ours faithfully,

ERIC TAYLOR. 4 Station Road. Redhill, Surrey.

Women's jobs From Mrs C. I. Brown

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Sir, I read Miss Wedlake ter (June 3) on sex discris tion in her chosen profe with interest, as I am e grad 31, 1974 were £478m ... com-pared with £421m at January 31, 1973." in estate management and a fessional associate of the R Institution of Chartered Sur when received from the Bank of England was immediately rein-vested with local authorities to give a net profit of about 3 per cent to the Society.

As a student I would say my college bent over backwe addressing a large part of correspondence to Miss Esq. However, after qualifying became a member of a societ estate management gradin which states on its information sheet: "New members are sheet: "New members are minded that lady guests are invited to the Annual Da unless they are members of fessions coonected with land " (whilst this does not to apply to male guests). On ond thoughts, perhaps this criminates in the favour of self and my other female

advocate of women's lib, think that it is desirable that means of qualifying in and tising one's career should judged on merit rather than I can only suggest that we others in our situation, w vere, for the outlook is notified by bopeless, to judge by increasing number of wo now employed in respons positions in the profession.

Yours sympathetically.

I tried again on Monday morning at 8 am, exactly the same happened. A direct dialling produced an engaged signal; 107 had the same result. Why is it possible to ring London from Japan but not leave from London without Japan from Loodon without these frightful irritating, time-wasting delays; why can ona ger through from Stockholm or

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of overseas calls

Sir, Why is it so very difficult

to telephone any place abroad from London when it is not

equally difficult to phone hack to Londoo if one is outside the

operator at 107. In my experi-ence 107 is almost always en-gaged; and even when there is no eogaged signal, but a clear

spent at least 15 minutes each

time without any success. When

I tried again on Monday morn-

From Mr T. L. Blau

Aid to building societies From Mr A. Jowett

Sir, At the annual general meeting of the Halifax Building Society held on May 20, et which I was present, questions were

(3) "Liquid funds at January 1974 were 6479..." I was present, questions were asked with regerd to the loan, stated to be £18m, which the Society bad received from the Bank of England under the present Government Aid Scheme. The chairman of the Society, in his statement on the financial year ended January 31, 1974,

reported inter alia: (1) " Let us remember that as a mutual non-profit making concern we bave a duty to do the est wa can for both investors and borrowers. . . . We must not be deflected from this duty by political or any other influences."

(2) " The Society advanced on morigages £613.4m. The A. JOWETT, total advance conformed well 15 Edgerton Green, with the target which was set Huddersfield.

Market research code

From Mr R. A. Ryder Sir, It was encouraging to see a number of your correspondents on this subject of defining market research drawing attention to the distinction between true and false market research. Several of them referred to the comprehensive code of conduct of the Market Research Society. May I point out to you that the

Hence, your readers who may be questioned in their capacities as business executives can be assured of the same protection afforded by the code as when they are questioned as con-Yours sinterely,

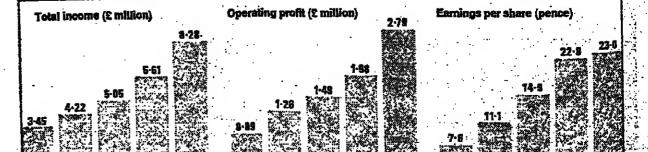
R. A. RYDER, deputy chairman, External Liaison Committee, Industrial Marketing Research

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INTERNATIONAL INSURANCE BROKERS REINSURANCE BROKERS AND UNDERWRITING AGENTS

"Substantial growth in overall pre-tax profit" reports Mr. F.R.D. Holland Chairman.

- Operating profit rose by 41.2% to £2.79 million and pre-tax profit was 30.7% ahead at an all time record of £2.95 million. Regrettably substantially higher taxation has caused retained earnings to remain almost unchanged.
- A final dividend of 5.209p making a gross dividand equivalent of 11.025p (1973 10.5p) ia the maximum permitted. Shareholders can elect to receive an allotment of shares in lieu of dividend. In addition a one for three bonus issue is recommended.
- Tha very substantial increase in profitability of the broking division arises from planned expansion, especially in areas oversaas whera the company was not previously strongly involved. Experience gained encourages us to believe that we can continue to expand at the prasent rate for the immediate future.
- For tha first time the largest portion of our insurance Broking profit arose from business emanating from outside the U.K. and North America.
- Progress has been made in Australia and South Africa; opportunities for expansion in the EEC
- Profits from our Lloyd's Underwriting activities for the 1971 account showed e satisfactory increasa, and present indications are that the 1972 account should also prove satisfactory.



Copies of the full Report and Accounts are available from the Secretary, C. E. Heath & Co. Limited, Bankside House 107/112 Leadenhall Street, London, ECSA 4AJ. Telephone 01-283 1020.

over future of Euromarkets Herr Ulrich told the meeting From Frank Vogl Williamshurg, Virginia, June 5 here that changes in the role of banks are taking place and that banks must respond positively third of the medium-term Eurodollar loans was supplied to as "dangerous nonsense" last night hy Mr Juel Barnett, the Chief Secretary to the Treasury, addressing the annual dinner of the Englishment Learning Acceptage (1997).

Scrious concern about the functioning of the Euromarkets was expressed by leading bankers here today. Herr Franz Ulrich, chief of the Deutsche Bank gored that a his many leading than the bank gored that a his many leading than the bank gored that a his many leading than the bank gored that a his many leading than the bank gored that a his many leading than the bank gored that a his many leading than the bank gored that a his many leading than the bank gored that a big than the bank gored Bank, ooted that a hig worry i that "in view of the indehted ness of some countries we come to faca the question how these horrowers can fulfil their in-terest and redemption ohliga-

Herr Ulrich talked about the possibility of a country just not being ebla to fulfil its interest payment obligations in the market. The general opinion Cbaocellor's statements about the availability of hank funds. among bankers at the loter-national Monetary Conference is The fact was, Mr Barnett said, that lete last year the gross liquid assets of industrial and that many banks may well be taking too many risks in order to increase their Euromarket busionmercial companies were over £10,000m. The three-day week was less damaging than feared, so that in all probability a substantial liquidity cushion was still available for use.

managing director of the Am-sterdam - Rotterdam Bank. poioted out that 1973 saw strong growth io the Euromarkets of roll-over transactions, with lending periods coostantly lucreasing. He said thet one-fifth of the roll-overs provided were for

more then 10 years. Mr Van Deo Brink added that Mr Van Deo Brink added that Londoo, against just 60 to 70 "In 1973 the standing of foreign banks in the United debtor countries and debtors States.

denters in less developed countries. Io certain respects the development of the Eurodollar market during 1973 was unhealthy."

unhealthy."

The general feeliog was that greater responsibility hy banks is needed, not more controls.
"The framework of the markal itself is good", said Mr Walter Wriston, chairman of the First National City Bank.

A strong plea was made by A strong plea was made by

oumerate bankers for greater international barmonization of regulations governing banks. Mr Wriston noted that the fact that foreign banks could opeo branches in more than one state bare while demonstrate banks. bere, while domestic banks can oot, was a positive development that may lead the United States authorities to become mora liheral on the one-state banking

Mr Eric Faulkner, chairman of Lloyds Bank, spoke strongly in favour of liberalization of international banking regulations along the lines of mutual reciprocity. Currently there were some 226 foreign banks in Loydon reginst just 60 to 70

to these changes. He stated that "the classic goals of banking and the principle of maximizing profits is no longer the only criteria ". On this point and with refer

ence to the question of banks seeking profits in the Euromarkets by horrowing short and lending long, Mr Max Staebelin, the chairman of the Swiss Bank corporation, noted that today security for loans, stability of the lender and liquidity considerations must guide all deals rather than profits. It is generally considered here that the Eurodollar market now has a size swiftly approaching \$200m. Banks must become more responsible and "bow critical the conduct of hanks is viewed is evident in discussions now prevalent in many countries with the aim to establish more controls or even to restoration controls or even to nationalize

Further, Herr Ulrich stressed that the public is now demand-ing that banks play a larger role in finding solutions to the needs of the environment, energy, changes in industrial structure and social conditions.

Call to widen tourist development grants chance of getting belp from us ". areas can receive Government By Patricia Tisdall

the scheme mean the board is likely to bave sums in excess of the Government to extend the scope of the scheme outside the its requirements. To promote the scheme as widely as possible, the board last night published a cartoon illustrated booklet development areas to the inter-mediate districts. Meetings are understood to take place next week at which the board will

assistance but tourist schemes the booklet states. The English Tourist Board, assistance but tourist schemes cannot. The proposed extension largest of the regional boards set would double the area able to receive aid from the board's and guidelines more fully. Mr up under the 1969 Development of Tourism Act, is seeking applicants for its £1.3m development funds. Geographical restrictions on area grant and loan fund. The board is again pressing

It then explains the conditions

and gmdennes more run; Mr
Jobn East, ETB's director of
development regional liaison,
says: "The £1.3m we bave available this year will be used to
full effect not only to assist
tourism but also make the most
of employment opportunities." The ETB is particularly keen

week at which the board will be distributed throughout the development throughout the development date children, activity bolidays areas.

Mr Pat Cook, the ETB's chief executive, described it as an anomaly last night that industrial projects in the intermediate which accommosphere agoing coocern you stand a good to encourage sen-catering projects, schemes which accommosphere which accommosphere which accommosphere will be development date children, activity bolidays and some, in well as in glass and some, in glass and some glass and

Barclays business customers will pay 25% less bank charges this half year.

For the period January to June 1974, Barclays Bank will give a 25% across-theboard rebate on bank charges to all nonpersonal customers. The only exceptions will be charges negotiated on an inter bank basis.

The basis of assessment agreed with customers remains unchanged, but the effect will be that some 520,000 of our customers will be charged only 75% of the commission due at the end of June for servicing their accounts.

Mr. Deryk Weyer, Senior General Manager, said: "We feel it is now the turn of trading and industrial customers to benefit. They have had a difficult winter. Three day working has cut production and on top of that costs of energy and raw materials have increased. We believe it is right for us to give some help by temporary rebate in our commission charges."

For further details please ask your local

Barclays Manager.

BARCLAYS

BY THE FINANCIAL EDITOR

Ironing out the Code anomalies

mded version of the City not the revolutionary it that its 11-month period might have led pect. But the City Worky has succeeded in its ask of formulating a ogical approach to ry and partial bids and oal consistency of the the greater as a result. heart of the amend-the concept that there levels of shareholding: per cent of the voting here few constraints the sensitive area 30 and 50 per cent, is reasonable to regard ilder as more than just invastor; and majority

established that for the purpose of y hids under the new it made sense to apply structure to partial iously thore are somo is who would have the status quo nnder edition of the Code pressed hlanket discor all partial hids. But hody of City opinion that such bids are are arrelated to the control of the erable to uncontrolled urchases and at best a means hy which comce without merging. hargo on further pur-12 months after a bas succeeded or a iid bas lapsed may ie observers aa harsh.

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Lord Inchcape, chairman of P & O expecting "a very sub-stantial improvement" this year Robeco

Bullish about Wall Street

As an exercise in timing the buying out by Roboco in Feb-ruary of Utilico, a fund invested in United States utilities, could hardly have been bettered con-sidering the problems now be-setting the power utilities. For all that, the key to Robeco's current investment philosophy re-mains a fundamental bullishness about American markets. At the beginning of last year, the United States accounted for the United States accounted for some 37 per cent of Robeco's portfolio but by August the percentage had dropped to 25 and the fund as a whole was becoming more liquid. By the year end, however, it was moving back into the United States which then took up 28 per cent of the rotal portfolio, and this year, although the overall percentage remains about the same. centage remains about the same, it has again been a huyer of American stocks. The approach

American stocks. The approach there has been broadly based with food, rerailing and chemical stocks being bought as well as oil majors like Exxon and Continental Oil.

Not, perbaps, a policy to have produced much tangible reward yet, although the asset value of Fi 186 a share on May 1 represented a fall of only 5 per cent in the first four months of this year. But there has clearly been much to be said for the utilities liquidation and the sellnesh much to be said too the atilities liquidation and the selloff, in the Japanese part of the portfolio. From accoluting for 174 per cent of the fund or some FI 708m at the beginning of 1973, progressive profit-taking has brought the Japanese holding down to 124 per cent with a worth of FI 445m; For the rest, the European portfolio has rest, the European portfolio has seen little thange so far this

Which only leaves to be filled the gap created by the departura of Utilico. With Robeco going for growth and its younger sister. Rolinco, on a similar but more aggressive tack there is no obvious vehicle in the group for the growing band of incomeseeking investors. Robeco may soon have something to say about that, however.

Beating best expectations

P & O's profits for the six months to March 31 are plainly way ahead of most stock market forecasts. But, behind a rise of 8p to 118p in the share price, after an initial run up to 124p, lies considerable uncertainty about what to make of the storm clouds now gathering over shipping

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some good charters fixed before the downturn in the tanker market also showing up in the town in southern Sweden.

latest figures. So, in spite of the passenger business feeling the pinch of sharply higher thel costs, P & O's operating profits in the half year to end-March jumped from

£10m to £19.7m.
With associates, which included a full six months from Angloa full six months from Anglo-Nordic and a strong performance from OCL, up from 23.4m to £11.4m; P & O took interest charges of 7.7m against £4m in its stride to more than double taxable profits. Now it is talking of second half profits somewhat lower than the first six months but expects a "very substantial incrovement" for the year over the £34m of 1972-73. This assuming a maintained This, assuming a maintained second six months, points to 547m for the current 12 months and a p/e ratio, were profits to be fully taxed, of around 7. So much for this year with the dry cargo market remaining firm as the passenger division suffers from increased fuel costs, though bunker prices have largely stabilized and amply is no longer a problem.
As for Bovis, the six months trading it will contribute this year is negligible in the context

of the whole group.

But that still leaves the doubts about world trade and shipping in the next few years and we have probably already seen tha tailend of the assorted bulk carriers boom.

Even so, thoro is a cash flow

of perhaps, £30m a year and properties worth, say, £80m, which is rolevant set against a capitalization of £167m.

And the speculative interest is still provided by Mr Reksten, Jessel and Hambros, with 20 percent of the equity hetween them. Add in P & O's North Sea interests and the prospect of a thaw in dividend restraint to help the yield of 5.3 per cent, and it is easy enough to make out a case for holding on to the

Interim: 1973-74 (1972-73) Capitalization £167m Gross revenue £139m (£107m) Pre-tax profits £26.3m (£12.8m) Dividend gross 3.0p (2.5p)

Associated Paper Working at

capacity Associated Paper Mills' 58 per cent increase in interim profits, on the back of a 20 per cent sales rise, reflects both capacity working in the papermaking division and further benefits from the group reorganization. The point about this reorganithe point about this reorgan-ization of course, is that it has taken AFM into more specialized activities, and ones which are more sheltered from the cyclic-fluctuations of papermaking in paneral.

So, the expectation might now reasonably be for profitability to remain good during the remaindor of this year forward orders largely take care of that —and beyond. The argument in favour of the shares at 34 p is thus justifiable for the medium as well as the short

APM is now virtually free from competition with low cost Scandinavian producers and much more concentrated (to the extent of 70 per cent of profits) on converting paper into corrugated board and aluminium foil. Most of the remaining profits contribution came from specia-

lized papers.

An additional point in its favour in the present economic climate is that the balence sheet looked much cleaner at the end of last year with a virtual halving of the horrowing figures, after taking into account the issue of £1.4m of convertible

loan stock. loan stock.

The shares at 345p—whera they have remained for the past mouth despite the overall fall in the market—sell at 43 times fully taxed latest 12 mouths earnings and the implied yield is 8.3 per cont. That is not a demanding rating at this stage.

Interim: 1973-74 (1972-73)

Should car men follow Volvo's lead?

Two years have elapsed sinco Volvo shook the international motor industry by announcing plans to build a car assembly plant without an assembly track. Since January the Kalmar pioneering project, has been producing cars and for months past motor executives. months past motor executives from all over the world have

They make their pilgrimage to find the answer to one ques-tion: "How much more will it cost us to produce a car by group assembly methods than by nso of traditional moving tracks?"

been visiting the little seaport

But Mr Pehr Gyllenhammar Volvo's outspokeo young president, insists that his visitors start with the wrong question. They should he asking: "Can we afford not to build cars by a method which is more accepta-ble to our workers than tho confines track? of an assembly

Most motor manufacturers I have talked to admit that the Kalmar project could be the forerunner of a new generation of car plants which will result from growing pressure for better working conditions. But they add in some haste: "We pray that we are not the first to have to build a major car plant without an assembly track. That would give our competitors a cost advantage we could ill afford. It is equally true that they would bave to follow our lead at some time in the future

lead at some time in the future but meanwhile they would have taken aome of our markets and learnt from our mistakes." At Kalmar this week I met and talked to Signor Umberto Angelli, managing director of

Fiat. Uolike other motor executives, be does not accept that this is a Swedish solution to a Swodish problem—how do you keep the world's most educated labour force content with menial assembly track work when Swedish workers can stay at homo and receive as much in state payment as they do in

Signor Agnelli is also the first of the industry's senior statesmen to put a cost figure on group assembly. He told me: "Volvo's problems now could be those of the car industry everywhere in the furner try everywhere in the future. But to some extent Volvo are

plants because of economic and other problems. These plants would have contained some elements of Kalmar and we have beeo advised that production costs would have been hetween 3 and 4 per cent higher than by traditional methods. That may be an acceptable increase for someone building a small number of large cars, but it is serious for a mass producer of small cars like Fiat."

So why wero Fiat prepared to carry such an additional hurden? Signor Asnelli shrugged hia shoulders. "Ono must accept circumstances", he

The circumstances to which he was referriog have heen spelled out by other Italian mntor executives. They amount to this. The southern Italian believes that a few days away from the assembly track are a neceasary and regular safety valve. As one Turin manager

now working in the Naples area put it: "You cannot motivate southerners with money only. When they have full hellies and their families are cared for they want a bottle of wine and somewhere to sleep io the shade.

At Kalmar tha 400 Swedish workers-there will be 600 io a few mooths' time producing 30,000 cars a year—get working and rest facilities which, while they may not coincide with Neapolitan tastes, do at least break with the mind-bonding, regimeoted frustration of keeping pace with a mochanical caterpillar.

The track at Kalmar is replaced by battery-driven plat-forms which carry the emerging car from one group of workers to another. This planform and its immense versatil-ity are the key to the wbole ncept. It has been patented by Volvo in 28 countries.

Other motor firms are helieved to he negotiating licance agreements to build similar platforms. They can be controlled by electrical impulses from lines laid under the floor or hy individual hand-held control units. Volvo will not reveal tho

two important value judgments involved. The first was that the numbers affected by siting the

airport at Cuhlington would ha coosiderably greater than those

affected by siting it in south Essex. Although the majority of the community—at least, those

travelling by air frequently—would benefit by having it at

Cublington, what really mat-tered in the end was the cla-

mour of a large minority in tho

neighbooring aroa compared to

the weaker opposition of a amaller minority near Foulness.

The second value judgment was better concealed. The mem-

hers of the air-travelling public

are, on average, much better off than members of the public as a whole. By allocating Govern-ment funds to a highly expen-sive—and, arguably, unneces-

sary-airport complex the dis-

tribution of social benefits would be affected in favour of

the rich and the corporate

This point may not have en-tered consciously into the Gov-

ernment's calculations and it

was not mentioned in the Ros-kill Report. But it clearly does

The second step was, then,

understandable. The choice of a sito in south Essex reflected

sector.

affect the case.

cost of these platforms. Mr Gyllenhammar admits that they are more expensive than continuous tracks but hints that perhaps the Kelmar platforms are too complicated and that modified versions are on the way which will he much more com-

petitively priced.

He adds: "Io any event the platform gives manufacturers the ability to do something which is just not possible with a conveyor belt. You can change the entire assembly layout in a very short time and that saves real money. It gives

mannfacturers a degree of flex-ibility thoy never had before." In his forthright way he admits that less than six months after production hegan Kalmar is already outdated—a statement which spotlights the extent to which such pioneering ventures can hecome a coatly

gamble. Mr Gyllenhammar insists: "Kalmar is oot a showpiece. It is a workplace. We will not try to copy it in the future because we have learnt as we go along. We have already drawn from our experiences there."

Clifford Webb

Tim Congdon discusses the lessons to be learned

What went wrong with Maplin

The Maplin project is under review practical terms the most impor-tant consequence is that consul-tation documents sent out hy the Department of the Environ-ment on alternative road and rail links have been rescinded.

The loast important consequences are that the homb disposal work of the Ministry of Defence in the Maplin sands has been called off, while the study of wildlife prompted by the scheme is being contin-ned—if with a somewhat sligh-

A pamphler published today by the Institute of Economic Affairs on Lessons of Maphin: Is the Machinery of Govern-mental Decision-Making At Fault? examines some of tha implications of Maphin's grad-ual demise for the way in nal demise for the way in which major projects are eval-usted, and decisions about their feasibility and desirability

reached. Conservative Government's commitment to Maplin followed from three steps, each of which in themsolves wore quito logical. The first was to accopt that the answer to the question " is there likely to be a need for a third London airport in the 1980s?" was "yes". in the 1980s?" was "yes". Akthough this answer had been arrived at by Mr Anthony Cros-land in the last Labour Govern-ment, no doubts were cast on its correctness by the Conserva-

tives when they came into The second step was to respond to the results of the Roskill Commission, which completed its work in 1971, and to the reaction of public opinion. The Roskill Commission concluded that the airport should be sighted at Cublingtoe, be-cause, after taking account of a bost of considerations, oot all of them strictly economic, this appeared to be the least costly.

inevitably, people living near the proposed site were alarmed at the prospect. Public opinion apposing ir was hostile and strong. Moreover, according to Roskill, the differences between the sites were marginal in comparison with the total expenditure involved. This encouraged the Government finally to opt for the Foulness site. The third step was to decide

that not only an airport, but a new town and seaport, should he part of the complex. It was at this point that the name was changed to Maplin and the whole nature of the project was enlarged. The hostilo reception again became very strong, with many people in south Essex regarding it with a sense of outrage. Meanwhile, there had been a

number of technical changes in aircraft dosign, as well as a more fundamental rethink about the morits of the idea, which were sufficient for the Lahour Government, when re-turned to power in February, to call for a review. This is where the project stands now, in a state of limbo, but a strong possibility of eventual abandon-ment hefore it.

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THE THIRD LONDON AIRPORT-

How did this happen? What Maplin and access facilities alternative sequence of queswhat changes in decision-making machinery are immaking plied?

The first mistake was to accept the "need" for a third airport rather uocritically. Tho analysis behind Mr Crosland's initial decision was frail and should bave been reconsidered. More importantly, the question abould oot bave heeo, "is there a need for a third airport? hut "is there a better uso for the resources that would have to be devoted to its construc-The basic framework of tha

analysis was crude. In the 1960s air traffic bad been growing at a particular rate. It was assomed that this rate would continue into the 1970s and that forecasts could be made about the level of traffic in the early 1980s. With the runway capacity available at Heatbrow and Gatwick in the late 1960s it was apparent that there would 15 years and that congestion costs" would mount steadily. A third airport would he necess-

The first flaw here was the method of forecasting future levels of traffic. It was based on an extrapolation of past trends, without an explanation of why theso trends had heen found. In particular, the new concept of package-tonr travel had caused a rapid growth rate of air travel in the 1960s and it is not clear that this will coo-

But there were other misapprehonaions. Although there might be a shortage of runway capacity by the 1980s it does not follow that a new airport has to be constructed. It might be cheaper and less risky to add more rupways to axisting airports—an obvious possibility,

This point is made tellingly by Christophar Foster in his contribution to the IEA pamphler. Ho says that it was "nonsense" for the Conserva tive Government to pretend that a two-runway airport at Maplin would he less expensive than the addition of two runways at Heathrow.

would have to he developed almost from oothiog. The cost altogether would he at least £850m. By contrast, the cost of two oxtra ruoways at Heathrow would he f90m at the outside A further weakness of the

original Croaland decisioo was that it assumed no alteration io the pricing policy of the British Airports Authority. Io fact the policy has been changed since the Roskill Commission was giveo its terms of reference.

Planes using Heathrow and Gatwick at peak times-maioly in the summor-will now bave to pay more than the average. The offect of this will be to deter planes from landing at these times and there should be some easing of the capacity

Right at the outset, therefore, the Conservative Government, taking its cuo from its Lahour predecessor, had mado a mis-take. The basic assumption of the Roskill Commission—that a third airport must he built— bad not heen thought out properly.

There is some discussion of

the need for another airport io the Commission's report. But it amounts to a series of empty and rather high sounding "ohiter dicta" which bave been characterized by Professor Mishan of London University as "froth" The disappointing aspect of this part of the report is that it is in marked cootrast with the bigh standards of logi-cal and careful analysis otherwise maintained throughout. Speculations about the conta-

gious effect of a third airport on south-eastern regional growth may read well and aound exhibarating, but they cannot ha aod were not substantiated. Indeed, the narrowness of ita

terms of reference was the Commission's work. In part this was inherent in the nature of cost-henefit analysis. In part it arose hecauso, as cost-honefit analysis, it was incomplete. Cost-henefit analysis is not

ioteodod to give an answor to an economic problom in the most amhitious and meaningful sense of providing an unamhi-guous policy recommondation. The reason for this is that substantial reclamation costs would have to he incurred on be taken by political authori-

ties. The politicians' joh is to ao inland site. But it again weigh the interests of those highlighted the difficulty of dewho will lose against the interests of those who will gain. marcating cost calculations from political judgmants. In Maplin's case there were

The third step, of expanding the Maplio concept, was a piece of bravura which now seems likely to cause the cancellation of the project. It crystallized opposition; it lacked any justification in terms of social costs and henefits; and it involved expenditures which seemed sizable even in relation to national product.

It would he easy to cooclude from the Maplin episode that some fuodamental reform of govornmental machinery is required. Part of the prohiem was that decisions about "need" were formulated in government departments which did not have to worry over decisions about the expense, Thia divorce of the two crucial fuoctions is not found eithor in private companies or in nationalized con-cerns like the British Airports Authority.

This might appear to justify returning as many decisions as posssble to bodies which have to make commercial rather than political judgments. This is certainly the theme running through the IEA's pamphlet. But others might reasonably say that it is not political processes but the particular political. cesses, our the particular politi-cians responsible for the Maplin decision, which were at sito in south Essex reflected fault. At times they do seem to the strength of feeling against bave lost a sense of proportion.

THE RUBBER REGENERATING COMPANY LIMITED

The following are points from the Report of the Directors for the period of 62 weeks ended 30th December, 1973.

Profit for the period after taxadoo amounted to £79,822 as compared with £93,250 for the 52 week period ending 31 December 1972. Added to the balance brought forward of £81,689, it gives an amount available for appropriation of £161,511 of which the following appropriations have been made: an Interim Dividend of 0.43.5p per share. A Final Dividend is proposed of 0.6125p per share. Sales for the 52 weeks period ended 30th December, 1973 at 52,734,108 compare with 52,389,325 for the previous 52

Sales continued upward through 1973 but production costs were adversely affected in the last quarter of the year by increasing raw material prices and increased cost of services. December also suffered from the Miners' overtime ban and consequent reduction in electricity supply affecting plant operations and sales. In line with the Board's cooonuing policy of eliminating

obsolete buildings and equipment, a write-off of £83,288 was processed in the second half of the year. A major part represents the book value of unsuitable buildings on the First Avenue site. The Board is studying possible projects for the redevelopment of the site. Net earnings for 1973 reflect the above write-off. The first quarter of 1974 has been seriously affected by the Miners' strike. Oil price increases and cut down of supplies resulted in substandal cost increases in our

The strike comes at a time when our products were showing an increased export sales potencial. Every effort will be made to get back this lost export position and contain

The Company is a supplier of raw materials to the rubber industry and is one of the largest manufacturers of reclaimed rubber in Europe. It also manufactures rubber chemicals, rubber labels, rubber dispersions, ground rubber, granulated mineral rubber and distributes rubber chemicals.

Business Diary: Tortuous chambers • Lasses get less

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rfit so proud of its of e Confederation of British membership, the Business? Had the report not of British Chambers also shown that the CBI fell is down on regional organization, precisely the ABCC's strong point? Well, said Mobbs, talks were

Well, said Mobbs, talks were going on between us and them about helping business speak with a clearer voice. But, chipped in the Earl, there would be no "dramatic developments". If the CBI had got too far ahead of its own people, it wero, bowever, able was thought, then it was bethe Earl of Limerick,
rday succeeded Sir
ok (former Governkmelight by the Earl's former leader before its consultative processes were able to take the

The association appears to be studiously refraining from gioat-ing at the CBI's problems, not least because many of the asso-ciation's 50,000 members are also CBI members. Yet many of these are the smaller, regional businessmen who are the focus of dissarisfaction within the CBI. In the meantime, the associa

feeling cial backing and has stronger not the hour to stand oversees as well as regional

nce the Devlin Com-rampares. Industrial Representation There does seem to have been nced by both groups, some clearing of the decis for and the establishment action. Lord Limerick, for in-



The Earl of Limerick and Nigel Mobbs: all together now.

stance, marks a return to the old style of having an MP or peer as president, but is unusual in not having come up through the association's ranks.

Mobbs, on the other band, was Sir Robin's deputy-president for the past two years. The Earl therefore looks like being the association's ambassadorthe association's ambassadorspokesman at large, and the commener the in-house organization man. All trim and fight-



mittoe on paymont and em-ployment conditions of the In-stitute of Personnel Manage-



Mepham book Goorgo Mepbam strikes again, Mepham is manager, remunera-tion and personnel services of Philips Industries the United Kingdom arm of the Anglo-Durch electrical group, and a member of the national com-

author of publications in one of the institute's prize lines, equal pay and opportunities for women. In 1971, he wrote and the IPM published *Problems* of Equal Pay, which did much to spell oot the issues facing em-ployers at a time when many managers woro ignorant of the Equal Pay Act, passed a year Now, be's writton a paper-back for IPM, Equal Opportu-nity and Equal Pay which, apart from a tendency to como apart in your hands a fow minutes after purchase, is an excellent, concise account of the back-ground both to the Equal Pay Act and to the anti-discrimina-tion legislation now promised

The book is not without its Ironios. Chapter Five, on discrimination in employment, says "porsonnol management is oco of tha 'support rolaz' that used to offer a particularly attractive careor to womon. But, as the function became an integral part of managomeot, womon steadily lost ground to men".

Mepham quotes a study by Mark Niver charters that the

Mary Nivon, showing that the pronortion of men in 1PM memhorship rose from two-thirds in 1957 to three-quartors in 1961. Ono of his own studios covering 36 companies showed that of 1,737 personnel staff classed as loyment conditions of the In"qualified" in the survey's
tirute of Personnel Manageterms, only 219 were women.
Mepham concludes, "the
Ho is also the IPM's standard Institute analysed the advertise-

ments puhlished in its monthly journal, Personnel Management, during 1971 and found that 46.9 per cont specified 'male only required' 8.5 per cent 'female only required' and the remaining 44.6 por cent made no such specification".

Loner Levine

Film producer Joseph E. Levice, does not feel right as an organization man and, at 68, bas decided yet again to go his own

"I'm a wheeler-dealer who wants to buy or make movies and promote them, and thar's what I am going to do," said Levine, announcing his resignation as president of Avco Embassy Pictures Corporation.

Levino, makor of such films as A Touch of Class, The Graduate and The Day of the Dolphins, sold his business to Avce for \$40m of Avce stock in

Levine says ho and Avco are still good friends, and that ho will give Avco all his future films on a first-refusal basis for distribution. He is alroady involved in a numbor of now films. Replacing Levino as prosident of the film distributing company by William E. Chaikin, 53, who says that be plans releasing some eight to 10 major films in



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exchange rate movements. The phrase "the great wheel" was coined by Adam Smith to describe the creation and employment of money to meet the developing needs of international trade. The authors

Unravelling

corporate

collusion

W. Peter J. Maunder and

(George Allen & Unwin, £4.20; paperbock, £2.50)

There is a certain irony that a

long needed study of the effects of Britain's restrictive

practices law on our industry

should be the product of collu-sion. It would seem that Profes-

sors Dennis Swann and Denis O'Brien and Mr Maunder and

Mr Howe have undertaken

enough over-lapping research to

non-competitive

justify a non-competitive approach in supplying nur

Fortunately, the resulting work carries a collective weight to its conclusions and observa-

Four obviously patient men bave peered into the murkier waters of business practice, the kind they do not teach at busi-

ness school. Collusion is the worlds of rimber, lace, steel drums, soft drinks or whatever is well documented in official records but the legal proce-

dures for rooting out naughty behaviour concerning price fixing, and other matters, are a wearisome task. It is, therefore, pleasing to find the four just

cademics from Loughborough,

Durbam and Aberdeen doing a fair job in sifting the records

and presenting case research.
Yet it is intriguing to be occasionally left in mid-air on some finding. Take, for example, the question of companies

which find ways round the law oo registering questionable res-

trictive agreements for possible court investigation. They say: "One thing which emerges very

clearly from our study, even though we have not always been able in cite the industries

concerned for fear of hringing repercussions down upon the people who have beloed us, is that the present legislative framework for the operation of

competition policy is signif-icantly inadequate to deal with

evasion of the law.

"There seems, it is clear, to be a fair amount of unregis-

tered collusion."

rered collusion."

After that, one needs some reassurance. Some pages later we find it—a declaration that there is little donht the Registrar, whose joh has been to round up the had companies with little faith in market competition, has achieved results "little short of dramatic, despite the typical quienness and intentional lack of drama with which this has heen done". They report that the whole

They report that the whole climate of opinion in respect of restrictive practices has been changed very much for the

However, the authors of this work rightly call for chaoges and a general tightening up of procedures, including affective sanctions.

Manrice Corina

Competition in British

By Dennis Swann,

Denis P. O'Brien,

W. Stewart Howe

Industry

lemand.

concentrate on examining how the wheel turned (or failed to turn) during the inter-war years and under the Bretton Woods system.

woods system.

The principal conclusion of the first section, well substandard by the records of the leading industrial countries, is that the inter-war years were not a period of competitive devaluations, as is so often assumed. With just two exceptions, major devaluations were

nineteenth century thanks to the discovery of vast gold resources in South Africa.

Such liquidity was to be found again during the first post-war decade, but this time the source was the American deficit, "aided and aberted by currencies deliberately undervalued by American action". Europe and Japan, say the authors benefited economically from this disequalibrium; American benefits were "geo-

assumed. With just two exceptions, major devaluations were followed by smaller, not larger, devaluations by other countries, if indeed there was any response at all.

In general, the orthodoxy of the period led to rigid exchange rates designed to enhance the purchasing power of financial assets in the hands of the rentier classes. Such a policy could only have worked, say the authors, if there had been a rising source of world liquidity to feed the system—as there bad been during tha late

believe that the present floaring regime has harmed world trade and the only reel item on their reform programme would be the establishment of special drawing rights as an interna-tionally acceptable store of

More than in most fields ". they say at the outset, "atti-tudes towards world money are conditioned by historical experience (or more accurately by what some people believe to have happened in the past); by sentiments, largely political and psychological in origin; and by rhetoric that manages to a rhetoric that menages to argue in its own terms without ever making amplicit its unconsciously held vision of power or of economic purpose." Their book should help to ensure that attitudes in world money ara conditioned by more respectable considerations in future.

Ian Morison

Big guns on big

The Consumer and Edited by Ralph Nader (Hercourt Brace Javanovich,

cal look at big business in the United States, where some businesses are very big indeed. Both of them are collections of articles which bave appeared over the past few years written by leading members of the two most important groups of cri-

business

tics of the American corpora-

relations between the corporate sector and American society as

It is the Nader book which has the greater impact, both because its subject matter is birthday—is an excellent chronicle of the fortunes of the company until it reverted to Spanish hands in the 1950s, as well as the tensions inevitable when more concrete (we all have experience of the shoddiness of many of the products of industrial society) and because it is edited by a man who has a total commitment to what be is advo-

Corporate Accountability

on Business **By Charles Perrow** (Harcourt Brace Jovanovich.

ters is who controls them, and what sort of goals they pursoe. This is the theme which has played a key role in many radical critiques of business in America, most of which share a common concern over who runs tha country. These are the subject of tha essays collected by Charles Perrow.

What is striking about both these books is the fact that the authors clearly take a sort of relish in feeling that American business scandals are the biggest in the world.

American husiness community about the social responsibility of industry ere a much more bealthy reaction to the problem the smug assumption that couldn't happen bere."

the beavily advertised prodocts.

Mr Reekie's book is almed at

economists, politicians and busi-nessmen. But it is also a first-class textbook for students.

Of interest more to the spe-cialist than the general reader are the collected winning papers of the Thomson Awards for Advertising Research. The papers cover subjects such as the inter-relationship of press

tising agencies select media

The Radical Attack

gest in the world.

So they may be; but books like these, and the continuing dabate which is going on in the

David Blake

Not on Queen Victoria's Birthday, by David Avery (Collins,

£5.50)—a book whose title arises from the stipulation that the

mine trains would not run on

Sundays nor on Queen Victoria's

the expatriate staff created a miniature replica of Victorian England in the midst of an alien

hidden bias in their work, but once the warning bas been given it is difficult to see what

aort of response they can make

and that the groundwork of assumptions that the groundwork of assumptions they need must be excavated; and that their work has a diminishing relevance

because of a concern with scientific exactitude rather than

practical significance.

But to appeal to the academic community to alter the orientation of its interests is, in itself, to be guilty of bias. It is striking

to be guilty of bias. It is striking that Dr Myrdal recommends further research and study in those areas where he has made his own reputation. This is perfectly legitimate and proper, but is it not a case of "hidden bias"? There are few euthors today who use phrases like " a striving toward greater human perfection in the nation and the world". Dr Myrdal does so in this hook over and over again.

this hook over and over again.
It is a pity that it exhibits very little effort and, by the standards now expected in professional economic circles, it is very

Paths of persuasion

useful in two main types of situation within the Soviet Union. It is used for goods or services which are both new and "sufficient" in supply and to get rid of surplus products which are not necessarily new.

The other side of the advertising coin is presented by W

The other side of the advertising coin is presented by W. Duncan Reekie in Advertising: Its Place in Politicol & Managerial Economics. Mr Reekie, who is lecturer in business studies at Edinburgh University, gives comprehensive answers to some of the more thoughtful criticisms about advertising.

One common charge is that advertising activity is higher than is necessary to communi-

care its messaga to its audience.

In his reply, Mr Reekie cites

As a result costs, and also and television advertising the prices, are higher than they problems of researching technical journals, and how adver-

the grocery trade where a They cover 10 years and include bousewife can choose between a the gold and silver medal winnationally available manufacture of the various

subjects.

Tim Congdon

Open-cast mining at Atalaya in southern Spain: a page from RTZ'a colourful history in that land

Challenging the laws

of economics

In its present form, the Ria Tinto-Zinc Corporation is one of

the more interesting and intriguing of the mining houses, but
its antecedents in Spain are
even more remarkable. Typical
of the freebooting entrepreneurs who developed the Rio
Tinto mine during the
eighteenth and nineteenth cen-

turies was the redoubtable Lady

Mario Herbert, who gained pos-session of the mine after having

fulled in the attempt with her husband to buy the vacant Polish throne for E3m.

Against the Stream

By Gunnar Myrdal

(Mocmillan, £4.95)

science.

(Mocmillan, \$4.95)
Dr Gunnar Myrdal is one of the most wide-ranging, prolific and distinguished social scientists in Europe, and tha publication of a new collection of his essays must be regarded as an important event. The subtitle is "Critical Essays on Economics". However, it becomes clear after reading one or two of the essays that there is far more criticism than economics, and that in this

than economics, and that in this case criticism is not the revenge of the intellect on art but the

reprisals of a reputation on

is questioned, while emphasis is placed on the unltiplicity of social and historical circumstances which undermine theo-

retical conclusions intended to apply to all nations at all times. There is a careful examination of what social science is and in which respects it differs from natural science.

This is valuable because it alerts practising economists to

Advertising

(Macmillan, £3.95)

By W. Duncan Reekie

Media Research ...

Ten Years of Advertising

(The Thomson Organisation, £5)

Ir will come as a surprise to

most people that any consumer advertising is carried out inside socialist countries. Centrally controlled distribution and pric-

ing systems would appear to offer little scope for practition-

However, as Philip Hanson,

euthor of Advertising and Sociolism, found, there is a tiny

but growing volume of advertis-ing in the Societ Union and substantially more in the less centralized Hungarian and

Rough estimates suggest that

Yugoslavian economies.

Myrdal's familiar themes are given another airing. Tha alleged "objectivity" of certain standard methods in economics

These books take a highly criti-

Mr Raiph Nader's book is shout the consumerist move-ment which does not like the quality of the products which are sold, or the by-products which are dumped, while the essays put together by Mr Charles Perrow deal with the

But although Mr Nader has made a massive contribution to raising the standards of corporations, the very success of his campaigns, and his call for greater federal supervision, casts doubt an the belief that what is required is competition between a number of makers.

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> Less satisfactory, the report suggests that social development in general continues to be slow and spony? It gives a warning that the region still faces setious problems associated with rapid population arough a heavy rural migration. growth, a heavy rural migration to the cities, high unemploy-ment rates and the general backwardness of the rural

are likely to have a strong impact in 1974 on many of the countries within the region.

Five countries in Larin America have surplus oil, or are self-sufficient, but the other 17 nations are net oil importers. The fastest-growing sector of

the region's economy has been manufacturing, which has been expanding at rates of between 8 and 9 per cent since 1970 and now accounts for 26 per cent of the region's rotal output.

Yet, according to the report, the bulk of Latin American industrial production is concentrated in a few countries. For instance, Brazil accounted for a page 225 per cent of regional about 28.5 per cent of regional manufacturing value added" in 1972, followed by Argentina and Mexico, with about 23 per cent-each, and Venezuela with 5 per cent.

Moreover, there bas been a tendency in recent years for this group to increase its rel-ative share.

Hauliers hit Computer opportunity by costs rise in Japan

By Kenneth Owen
Technology Correspondent
The British Overseas Trade
Board is encouraging British manufacturers of computer peri-pheral equipment, and United Kingdom software houses, ro move into the Japanese marker. A report on the Japanese market, prepared for the board by Price Waterbouse & Co Japan, was published yesterday, and the board is organizing an exhibition next February at the British Export Marketing Centre in Tokyo which will include peripherals

In general, the report sees a significant market potential in Japan for British manufacturers. The opportunities will widen significantly from July 1, when the remaining restrictions on the import of technology and on manufacture under licence of computer-related equipment in Japan will be abolished.

At present, United Kingdom exports of computers and peripherals to Japan are running at only about £10m a year.

The report identifies four margest factors which are reported. ket sectors which are expected to grow by more than 50 per cent a year. These are minicom-

puters, video displays, point-of-sale/data collectors, and key-todisc input systems. ... Unlike the various hardware sectors, where the Japanese in-dustry itself is strong, the soft-ware market is believed to be

that second half profits would be adversely affected by the closure of Sanders & Forster much more open. The Japanese Market for Computer Peripherals (British Overseas Trade Board, £5). (Caribbean). In the event full year taxable profits have been almost halved from £1.2m to

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June 5—The Soviet risen to the extent that raw and being supplied by Krupp of gaining handsomely materials have gone up, and the West Germany. In April, it not in the capitalist Soviet leadership today has and, to some extent, large, inexpected currency to speed up the inflat reserves in consequence.

Executives in accredited

of the October Arab-Israeli war . and the Arab countries' oil em-bargo, has upset the forecasts of the Gosplan (national plan) nffi-One result of the new Sovier

trading strength is that the central buying organizations are doing business in a different man-

Traditionally Russia has bought on credit from the West, except in the case of small deals, but since the start of this year lated.
it has been paying cash.
in March Russia paid cash for
equipment to be installed at its
Kursk foundry totalling \$1,000m

accredited This situation, the direct effect foreign hanks bere confirm that i the October Arab Israeli war the Soviet authorities are no longer asking for credit, or, more accurately, they are ready to take out credit in the medium term at a preferential rate of 61 "free

ment.—Agence France Presse.

s appointments

countants elect new president

Sharp has been elected f The Institute of Char-untants in England and ir J. P. Grenside was Co and in Annan Impey

i. F. Ross has been a director of Croda In-

hael Bird has been i joint managing direcsh Bebt Services.
Latham is joining the lecrite as finance direct.
P. G. Glics is leaving

the board to return to group finance duties at BAT. Mr Glies was lent to the International Group for six months when Pricerite was acquired and stayed on pending the appointment of Mr Latham.

Mt E. J. Turner is to become manager and director of the Guildhall Insurance Co on September 1 after his appointment from that date as manager of the reinsurance department of the Sun Alliance and London Insurance Group Mr C. F. Cole is retiring as managing director of Guildhall Insurance.

Mr Peter West has been appointed managing director of the Property, Equity and Life Assarance Co. Mr Michael Neal and Mr Alfred Field join the board.

Mr E. C. Gill and Mr Genfirey

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nnual General Meeting of shareholders held May, 1974, under the chairmanship of M Pierre Chairman of the Supervisory Board, approved oposals put forward by the Board of Manage-Funder its chairman M Jean Mantelet.

rofit after deduction of FF 127,279,234 for ciation, provision for capital expenditure, staff "iharing and provision for tax on profits is FF .455 as against FF 19,696,000 for 1972.

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ise in sales both at home and abroad." ***** Extraordinary General Meeting held following irdinary General Meeting it was decided to the company capital unto snares of a nominal of FF 10 to encourage holdings by small

of over 17pc Road hauliers costs in the 15 months to the end of April, this year, went up hy between 17.5 and 20.2 per ceut, the Road Haulage Association said today

The figures are revealed in Road Way the RHA journal, which quotes a report by the Centre for Interfum Comparison on the association's cost and productivity scheme (CAPS). The report states that during 1972-73, the last year for which firm figures are available, the demand for road haulage in all sectors except in agriculture in-

the RHA says that to obtain the CAPS target of a 9.5 per cent return on operating assets before finance charges in 1972-73, hauliers would have had to 73, hauliers would have had to increase revenue by the following amounts; tipping, 3.59 per cent; long distance, 3.46 per cent; combined general and long-distance, 2.46 per cent.

The association claims that unly the general haulage and agricultural groups hit the target

FMC decides against Farmmark scheme

FMC the wholesale mean organization has decided not to join the new Farmmark scheme set up in the North-west by West Cumberland Farmers and BOCM-Silcock FMC which had been collecting and distributing pigs bought by WCF from breeders, will now operate independently in the area.

All other offers of credit are turned down by the Soviet officials who declare firmly that tha rates are too bigh.

Meanwhile, Russia has stopped using the offset technique hy which foreign equipment putchases are paid for in the form of products made by this equip-

partner in Armstrone. is a partuer ia Touche

Randall have joined the board of J. H. Minet Financial Management. Chairman of the new company is Mr J. Wallrock: Mr M. R. Lawrance and Mr R. F. Mabbott are also appointed to the board.

Mr N. G. Worley has become agency and marketing manager of the National Provident Institution in succession 10 Mr D. A. Smith, who is retricing from the post after who is tetiring from the post after 40 years with the company. Mr Worley remains pensions market-

Mr D. W. Morgan has been made overseas executive director of Lightning International responsible Lightning International responsible for operating companies in Spain, Anstria and Canada. Mr A. Watson becomes managing director of Lightning Fasteners and a non-executive director of Lightning International. Mr L. A. Quevaire is appointed commercial director, Mr H. J. Medlicott marketing manager (home), Mr K. C. Randle production director and Mr M. G. Hallas finance and administration director of Lightning Fasteners. Mr M. S. Rraddield becomes sales director of Clix Fastener Corporation, Montreal.

Clix Fastener Corporation, Montreal.

Wellworthy, Hepworth & Grandage, Aeroplane and Motor Aluminium Castings, Brico Engineering, Associated Engineering France, Associated Engineering Insty and High Precision Equipment will be regrouped from October 1 to form the cylinder component fivision of the Associated Engineering Group. Mr J. Winstanley, managing director of the international division, will become managing director of the new division, assuming responsibility for the constituent companies from July 1. Mr J. L. Hepworth, chairman of Hepworth & Grandage and Brico Engineering, and Mr H. T. Hill, chairman and managing director of Wellworthy, will continue in these roles and as cirectors of Associated Engineering.

Engineering.

Sutton Rolling Mill and S. D. Syndicate will integrate their manufacturing, marketing, home and export sales of copper, rine letter press and aluminium litho pletes, associated chemicals and accessories, into a single company to be called S. D. Graphics. Mr. A. E. Wertig will be chalrman and to be called S. D. Graphics. Mr A. E. Wernly will be chalrman and general manager and managing director will be Mr H. F. Mackert. The other board members will be Mr R. S. Worthington (commoscial), Mr A. A. Bird, Mr C. F. Briggs, Mr J. H. P. Estler, Mr J. Frampion, Mt K. Gore and Mr T. Yorke.

per cent—a figure Western bankets describe as "free credit".

Argus Press

For the second year running, tax-able profits of Argus Press Holdings are a record, this time going up from £467,000 to £512,000. Attributable profits of the company which is wholly-owned by the BET group, are down from £254,500 to £222,000, while the dividend is held at 50

on the day.

The Argus Press subsidiary has achieved a rise in pre-tax profits from £461,500 to £512,000 and on attributable profits down from £265,000 to £233,000 the dividend is 13.4 per cent (net) against 19 per cent gross.

Beaver Group up 33pc

Sales of Beaver Group, whose chief activity is the manufacture of paints and other products for the huilding industry, were returned at the peak level of £4.5m for 1973 an increase of over 33 per cent on the 53.4m for 1972, and taxable profits show an increase of 29 per cent from £217,000 to £280,000. The total dividend is stepped up from 2.5p to 2.64p with a final payment 1.39p.

Goldring slips

The Goldring group, which makes sound reproduction equip-ment and components, bas slipped from last year's peak tax-able profit of £512,000 to £437,000 for 1973. This is in spite of a tise in turnover from £1.9m to £2.5m. Earnings a share are off from

7.4p to \$.4p.

Sales for the first four months of the current year are ahead of the comparable 1973 period, and the increasing long-term demand for group products is expected to continue. Meanwhile the dividend is ahead from 3.2p to 4.8p.

Century Oils

Taxable profits of Century Oils are again a record, at £657,000 (against £550,000). Attributable profits are down from £359,000 to £309,000, and the dividend is 2.04p. Shareholders will also have the option to take a scrip issue instead of the cash final dividend.

Huletts Corporation

Net profits after tax and mino-

rities for the year ended March 31 of Hulens Corporation the South African sugar planters and refiners was and refiners was compared with R14.98m (£8.98m) for the previous 11-month period. This is increase of R878.000 SANDVIK UX Sandvik, of Halesowen, has disned agreement to acquire the hack welded one and hart weld fittings welded one and hart weld fittings welded one and hart weld fittings. in April and is due to a change by the Rhodesian Sugar Assotor over \$700,000.

A timely increase in beer group was fortunate in being prices in February this year has able to increase its beer prices offset steep rises in costs at in view of the continuing escalation in the cost of raw materials and overheads. The non-brewing subsidiaries, such as wines quarter referred to in the annual statement of Mr Christopher Hatton, the chairman. in view of the continuing escalaand spirits, soft drinks and botels have again oerformed well. No estimate of the final result is made, although the group only needs to equal the 53.01m pre-tax achieved in the aecond balf of last year to beat the 65.09m record years had

The board considers that the

Taxable profits are up 14 per cent to £2.38m after six mombs, on sales 12 per cent ahead at £24.5m. This gives an improvement in margins from 9.5 per the f5.09m record reached over the whole of that term.

At the annual meeting in January, Mr Hatton said that the group's heavy expenditure on redavelopment would provide the group's long-term on redavelopment would provide the group's long-term
strength, and while there might
not be "spectacular" shortterm increases, it was for the
benefit of all to maintain a

Attributable profits are down from £1.16m (including an extraordinary mem of £30,000) to £1.08m, while the dividend is ahead from 2.69p to 2.78p. Earnings a share are down from 0.48p to 0.46p for each "A" share, and from 2.39p to 2.31p on the ordinary—but the board points out that this is for an "all fours" comparison because of the change in the basis of taxation. steady and solid growth.

Meanwhile, a revaluation of the group's licensed and unlicensed estata shows a figure of 520.9m over book values. Tha group's properties are mainly in the North West and North

Energy crisis takes heavy toll of McCorquodale

Although turnover was pushed to peak half-time levels, earnings tn peak half-time levels, earnings at McCorouodale, the Hampshire-hased printing group, were severely cut back. The situation was aggravated by exceptional items of £108,000 relating to a compensation claim, and the energy crisis, which is estimated to have cost the group about £200,000 in pre-tax profits.

cent to 9.6 per cent. The turn-over figures dn not include VAT, and earlier periods have been adjusted th give a fair

comparison Attributable profits are down

Turnover showed a 17 per cent gain from £10.99m to £12.97m. and including that of the associ-ated companies, the group fig-ures showed a jump of over 19 per cent from £11.8m to £14.1m. taxable profits

Results

hit Chamberlain

in half-year profits of Chamber-lain Group, the London-based bydraulic and structural engi-

neers, shareholders were warned

But the hydraulic engineering and property divisions and Joseph Parks & Son all earned

current year the group continues to trade profitably. The total

dividend is being raised from 2.18p tn 2.29p with a final pay-ment of 1.48p. Market reaction

Following a 31 per cent gain

Late losses

declined by 31 per cent from £1.29m to £882,000. The interim dividend is being raised from 4.7Sp to S.39p, but the board give no indication on the likely outturn for the full year. The group has already stated

that it is negotiating for a sub-stantial equity stake (thought to be about 30 per cent) in Falconer Company of Baltimore at a cost of around £470,000. The proposal is that a proportion of Falconer's shares would be purchased through a tender offer and the remainder would be new shares issued for cash hy the company.

ciation in calculating sugar pro ceeds and in transport cost re-coveries in the South African

Aust Estates leap to £7.1m Although Sir Denys Lowson,

chairman of Australian Estates, was erring on the side of caution in his last statement, the full results for 1973 show that turnovet and profits have soared

to record levels.
Turnover on a revised basis
more than doubled from £23.2m to £56m, and operating profits jumned from £3.37m to £7.15m. Profits after tax bounded from £1.7m to £3.86m from which minority interests aboth £407,000

£673,000 — the second half achieving only £88,000 compared with £801,000 previously. this time against nil last.
Earnings a share emerged at 27.95p against 15.17p, but the dividend is to be left almost unchanged at 1.84p against 1.83p The board say the reduction in profits is attributable to substantial losses incurred by SF. previously. The figures include for the first time the group's share of the profits of Haughton Sugar for the period from Octo-bet 31, 1972, to eod-December last, and of E. M. Denny (Hold-ings) from March 5, 1973, to increased profits and during the September 29 last.

Wheway Watson

to the results was to close the For the year coded March 31, group taxable profits of Wheway share price at 23p a rise of 1p Watson, the Glasgow-based chainmakers, engineers and forgets, rose from £495,000 to £515,000 on the back of turnover up from £5.3m tn £5.6m. The total dividend is raised from 0.68p to 0.71p. But for the energy crisis and the three-day week, taxable profits would have been higher, says the board.

Ciments Lafarge

A rise of 24 per cent takes the pre-tax profits of Ciments Lafarge to 342.73m francs on turnover up from 3,356.6m francs to 3,892.9m francs. The board says that overall earnings growth is expected to continue throughout 1974. The gross dividend is held at 15 francs, while earnings a share are 27.32 francs, against 22.04 francs before extraordinary items.

Retail sales in United Kingdom still continue to run ahead of hudgets, and management will do everything it can to maintain this momentum as year progresses.

WIGHT CONSTRUCTION Trading results to date are "en-couraging" bur hoped that strikes affecting supol yof cement and fuel 10 contract sites will be settled soon.

HUDSON BAY MINING Hudson Bay Mining has increased its equity interest from 10 per cent to 23 per cent in Canadian Merrill. A Canadian oil and gas company. Ten per cent of 13 per cent increase represents shares on which HBM has right of first refusal. Acquisition of remaining shares Acquisition of remaining shares subject to right of frist tefusal and full conversion of \$4m convertible debenture would increase HBM interest to 58 per cent.

LAMPA SECURITIES Following change in accounting period it has not been possible to prepare report and accounts in respect of 18-month period ended April 30 and it is proposed that AGM called for June 28 be adjourned to later date.

STOCKBROKERS MERGE Messrs Belisba & Co and Messrs Beamish & Co have applied to Stock Exchange for consent to merge their businesses as from July. New firm will be styled Beamish Belisha at 18 St Helen's Place. Bishnps-gate and all nartnets of both firms will be included.

DOULTON PURCHASE Doubton Sanilary Ware, part of Royal Doubton Crong, has acousted P & 5 (Cirencestet) for £1.25m cash. P & 5 vrc-lay orofit in 1973 was £203,000.



Sir Gwilym Williams, chairman of Crosfields and Calthrop: Backing the scheme of arrange-ment with Dalgety.

"Consequently, it has no wish to exchange this holding for another in a company whose main activities are quite different."

Tiger adds: "A bid from Dalgety was never envisaged by Tiger. When one was announced, the value was 72p hut sinca that

time it has fallen to ahout S6p." The City'a take-over panel has confirmed that Tiger has acted throughout in conformity with the letter and the apirit of

clined to do.

the present value of the offer is inadequate.



cause it bought its near-10 per cent stake in Crosfields "as an investment in the animal feeds industry in the United Kingdom which field of activity represents a substantial part of Tiger's own business.

an unwelcome consideration consisting of Dalgety shares. In this connexion Dalgety were invited to make an alternative cash offer of 72p for each Crosfield share, but this they de-

Tiger Oats outlines bid

the city code".

Tiger goes on to say that the scheme of arrangement proposed by Dalgety and Crosfields would, if approved, force Tiger to dispose of its investment for an unwelcome consideration

Having tegard to the profit forecast made by Crosfields and the likely contribution from Highgate & Job, Tiger feels that

opposition

Tiger Oats, the South African-based foods group that is cut-rently opposing a £5m takeover bid by Dalgety for the animal feeds group Crosfields and Cal-throp, yesterday revealed the reasons behind its opposition. Tiger says it is refusing to accept the Dalgety terms be-cause it hought its near-10 per

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Issues & Loans Irish raise Euroloan

The Electricity Supply Board or the Republic of Ireland bas arranged with a group of banks for a 10-year \$30m loan to aid in financing its development

programme. The banks which will provide the funds are Morgan Guaranty Trust, Allied Irish Investment Bank, and Kredietbank. The Bank, and Kredietbank. The loan, which was signed in London yesterday, is guaranteed by the government of the Republic of Ireland.

Meanwhile the coupon on the 20m unit of account 10-year Irish Republic loan has been raised to 9; per cent from 9; per cent.

ECGD tanker deal

The Export Credits Guarantee Department bas guaranteed a loan of over £2m by National Westminster Bank towards the purchase of two chemical tankers which are being built by Cocbtane & Sons of Selby, Yorkshire. The vessels are being purchased by Ingram Ocean Carriers, a subsidiary of Ingram Corporation of New Orleans, and are scheduled for delivery in 1975. The loan is repayable over a period of eight years from delivery of each vessel.

Christopher Wilkins

Eurobond prices (midday indicators)

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USINOR SA
Net profit in 1973 up from 105.7m to 169.1m francs on turnover up from 6,380m to 8,215m francs.—Reuter.

Charter Consolidated Limited

FINAL DIVIDEND AND CONSOLIDATED PROFIT STATEMENT FOR YEAR TO 31 MARCH 1974

The board of directors announces that it has today resolved to recommend to the annual general meeting of members to be beld on 16 Joly 1974 a final dividend of 3.71371p per share in respect of the year ended 31 March 1974 (1973: 3.85p per share), payable to shareholders registered in the books of the company at the close of business on 14 June 1974 and to persons presenting coupon No. 18 detached from share warrants to bearer. This dividend when added to the interim dividend of 2p per share paid on 4 Janoary 1974 makes a total for the year of 5.71371p per share. The corresponding total for the previous year, if the imputation system had applied to the luterim dividend oaid on 3 April 1973, would have been 5.60p per share.

In terms of the imputation system of corporation tax in the United Kingdom this dividend is not subject to deduction of United Kingdom income tax by the company but will carry a tax credit representing thirty-three sixty-sevenths of the dividend, the amount for which the company will be accountable in respect of advance corporation tax.

The total dividend for the year, together with the associated tax credit of 2.68629p per share is 8.4p per share (1973: 80 get share), representing the maximum distribution which can be made under the counter-inflation legislation.

The following results of the company and its sebsidiaries for the year to 31 March 1974 are

The following results of the company and its sebsidiaries for the year to 31 March 1974 are issued for information in advance of the annual report and accounts which will be posted to members

on ot about 20 June 1974. CONSOLIDATED PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 1974

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Income from Investments Associated companies Other invesorients	2,919 10,335	2.939 7,501
Surplus on realizations of Investments less amounts written off Interest received Trading profit	13.254 4.309 4,305 7.198	10.440 4,034 2,481 5,716
Deduct Administration and technical expenditure, directors' emoluments, and auditors' remnneration Prospecting expenditure Interest paid	1,293 919 3,978 6,192	22,671 944 602 2.610 4,156
Share of retained profits less losses of associated companies	22,874 3,109	18,515 1,137 (loss)
Profit hefore taxan'on Taxation	25,983 9,076	17,378 3,832
Profit after taxation	16,907	13,546
Deduct Interest of outside shareholders and ore-acquisition profits	1.016	1.103
Earnings attributable to Charter	15.891	12,443
Earnings per share	15.160	11.87p
Cost of dividends of 5.7137p per share (1973 : 6.35p per share)	5,987	6.654
NOTES		

The taxation charge and the cost of dividends are not strictly comparable because of the introduction of the imputation system and the increase in the rate of corporation tax. There was a change in the basis of accounding in one of the company's industrial subsidiaries and in one of its associated companies. The effect on earnings attributable to Charter in the year ending 31st March, 1974 represents an increase of approximately 5970,000 compared with last year.

The transfer books and registers of members in the United Klogdom. the Republic of South Africa. and Rhodesia will be closed from 17 June to 22 June 1974. both days inclusive, and dividend warrams will be posted on or about 18 July 1974 Dividends gaid from Johanneshurg to gersons with registered addresses in the Republic of South Africa currency equivalent on 9 July 1974 of the United Kingdom currency value of the dividend. Shareholders with registered addresses in the Shareholders with registered addresses in the Republic of Sooth Africa or in South West Africa may, however, elect to be paid in United Kingdom currency provided any such request is received at the offices of the company's registrars in Johanneshurg or in the United Kingdom on or before 12 June 1974. Members must, where necessary, have obtained the approval of the South African or nther exchange control authorines baylog juris-

mther exchange control authorities baviog jurisdiction in respect of any such payments. Current exchange control regulations in the United Kingdom forhid ourment of dividends to addresses in Rhodesta and require money payable in respect of such dividends to be withheld for the time being. In accordance with these regulations modey in respect of this dividend due to members at such addresses will, for the present, he retained by the company Alternatively such money may, at the tequest of the shareholders, he mandared to an Authorized Depositary in the United Kingdom (e.g. an authorized bank) for credit to a Rhodestau suspense account. When the payment of dividends to addresses in Rhodesia is permitted, payment of this dividend to such addresses will he made from the office of the local transfer secretaries in Salisbury in the Rhodesian currency equivalent,

on a date ien days orior to the date on which payment is effected, of the United Kingdom currency value of the dividend.

The tax credit on the dividend will be available The tax credit on the dividend will be available principally to United Kingdom resident shareholders, but overseas shareholders who are resident in certain other countries with which double taxation agreements have been recently renegotiated may also he able to claim credit. Any

failed may also he able to claim credit. Any correspondence or requests for further infermation should be addressed to the Inspector or Foreign Dividends at New Malden House, 1 Blagdon Road, New Malden, Surrey KT3 4BB, and not to the A notice to holders of share warrants to bearer will be published in the press at a later date giving further details regarding payment of coupons.

By Order of the Board CHARTER CONSOLIDATED LIMITED D. S. Booth

Secretary

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Statson Road. Asbiord. Kent TN23 10B. Consolidated Share Registrars Limited. 52 Marshall Street.

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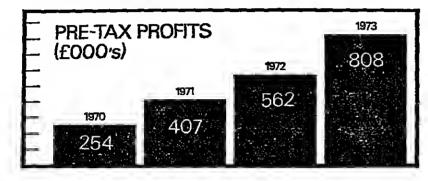
Salient points from the Statement by the Chalrman, Mr. J. D. Oakley: The year ended 31 December 1973 was another year of progress for the Company including a first-time profit contribution of £115,758 from

Peter Pan Pleythings Limited acquired in November last year. Having now had a few months' experience with the Company we have been confirmed in our view that this will be a successful acquisition and plans for considerable growth are in hand.

Increased sales were due to a number of factors, the principal one being the introduction of Model Toys Limited into the field of girls' toys which has created a new major area of expansion. Tha Group continues to add to its product range and has found it necessary to plan for an increase in its warehousing end production facilities.

Production was maintained close to last year's level during the period of the three-day week. With the resumption of the five-day week all our companies made a quick return to normal production. Supplies of raw materials remain difficult but all these problems are being dealt with in an enargatic manner.

It is extremely difficult in the present circumstances to give any prediction of the outcome for 1974. However, we have amerged from the initial difficulties of the year better than might have been feared. production has recovered very quickly and the Order Book is strong.



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First year

- * Group turnover £102,700,000. Group profit before taxation £4,258,000.
- * Substantially enlarged Group arising from merger with J. L. Kier & Company Limited giving greater breadth of activities and increased volume of work in all spheres.
- * Continued extension into environmental field, marine projects and increasing participation in developing U.K.'s oil resources.
- * Despite making provision for foreseeable consequences of inflation on current fixed price contracts, particularly on motorways, only marginal reduction on last year's pretax profits result.
- * Commercial development programme continued and now well established in Town Centre re-development sphere.
- * Private housing sales affected by impact of high mortgage rates but well placed to meet any improvement in market conditions.
- * Record work load and wide spread of activities give confidence for the future.

Copies of the Report and Accounts for the year ended 31st Dec., 1973. incorporating the Statement by the Chairman, Mr. T. J. Wignall may be obtained from the Secretary,

FRENCH KIER HOLDINGS LIMITED

50 EPPING NEW ROAD, BUCKHURST HILL, ESSEX IG9 5TH.

The City Code on Take-overs and Mergers

The City Code on Take-overs and Mergers, last revised in February 1972, has now been reprinted to take account of amendments io certain areas, particularly the Rules relating to the obligation to make a general offer when significant holdings of shares are acquired. The opportunity has also been taken to revise the

definition of persons acting in concert and the Rules governing partial bids.

The Rules, as revised, become operative on 6th June 1974. Copies of this revised edition of the City Code are available and may be purchased at a price of 50p per copy,

The Secretary

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FINANCIAL NEWS

Stock markets

Dividend hopes spur equities

The recovery in share prices gathered strength yesterday after a newspaper report that the Government is considering ending divideod restraint wheo Phase Three expires this autumn. Meanwhile with Wall Street still moving up after

prime rate cuts from United States banks, London's confidence in the outlook for interest rates was further displayed by Stock Exchange turnover figures for May. These showed a sobstantial increase in trading in short-dated government bonds, which would be the first to bene-fit from lower United Kingdom

int from lower United Kingdom ioterest rates.

A general rise in industrial equities put 5.6 on the FT index (285.9), and 1.96 on the wider hased The Times index, which closed at 113.37. Most of the rise represented marking up operations by the jobbers before the marker opened. But prices held market opeoed. But prices held up well during the morning, with small huyers taking up stock from the profit-takers. After lunch, "Darby Day trading" was the order of the day, and little further progress was and little further progress was

A feature of the mining market was the strong rise in gold shares, mirroring the activity in the gold price. Gains were exten-ded during late deals following frenzied activity in the hullion

market's heart on the racecourse, interest in share prices

was slight: Among the best performers was P&O, with the Deferred shares sharply higher after good profit figures. Having touched 124p, they dipped back later to close at 118p, a net 8p up. Other shipping issues strengtheoed in sympathy, led by Furness Withy and Ocean Trading and Trans-

Final gains in ICI (224p).

Beecham Gronp (223p) and Unilever (203p) were small. At 96p, Courtaulds continued "flat" as the market awaited details of the effects on the group's supplies of the disaster at the Flixboroogh plant.

Thomson Organisation recouped 2p of the loss of the
previous session, to close at
151p. But on the nearby printing pitch, McCorquodale loss 8p
to 162p after trading figures.
Pilkington Bros, with results
due shortly, were a good market. De La Rue (160p) continued to henefit from their
good profit figures.

A scattering of motor and

A scattering of motor and A scattering of motor and cluded crane Fruehauf, Yorkshire Trailers and Kenning Motors Group. In spite of the disclosure of a fresh fall in building starts, housebuilders did well. Taylor Woodrow stood

market.

Gains in the gold mining "beavies" ranged to £2 with pleoty of speculative activity from all sources appearing in the last balf hour. Vaal Reefs jumped £2 to £262. FS Geduld £1½ to £17½ and E. Driefontein 70p to 715p. Following profit figures, Charter Consolidated closed 7p up at 159p.

Industrials tended to slip below the best levels at the close

said the slight decrease resulted mainly from the transfer of some

Belgian subsidiaries to an asso-ciated company, and also from a significant increase in finan-

cial costs and depreciation. Net attributable income was 612m francs (441m), an increase of 39

CES sells carpet

Making n clean sweep of its carpet interests in the South of Eogland, Combined English Stores has sold them off for some film. About 18 shops in London and the outskirts are heing acquired by private concern Harris Carpets, in line with the group's policy of reducing its iovolvement in the carpet trade. CES is now left with a network of 28 carpet outlets in the

BANKERS INVESTMENT TRUST

Samuel Mooragu & Co has transferred participation in Banque Europeece de Credit, Brussels, to remaining shareholders pro rata to

SAMUEL MONTAGU

participation.

shops for £1m

when Wall Street was running The market wants to hear news into profit-takers. But, with the of further share purchases from of further share purchases from the United States. Bank shares provided one of

the strongest sectors although nurnover was not beavy Barclavs (228p) led the way with a rise of 10p. Hira purchase issues too did well, and insurances recouped a few pence of recent

In firmer properties, the weak link was Guardian Properties, whose shares slumped from 14p to 9p after press hints that a massive rescue operation is about to be launched.

'Oil shares edged forward but were later restrained by Wall Street's pause for profit-taking.
Australian issues continued to
recover ground. Broken Hill Pty
(580p) and Peko Wallsend
(240p) advanced.

After its recent sustained and strong rise the gilt-edged market paused for breath. There were no special influences, but dealers said profit-taking, although small, was baving some effect.

"Shorts" opened steady. Early in the session the Govern-Early in the session the Government broker raised the price of the "tap" stock, but prices tended to ease for the rest of the marning. This obliged the Government broker to return the "tap" price to opening levels by the close.

Most stocks lost 1/16 point.

Bur the low-coupon stocks were again favoured, with Transport 4% 1972-77 putting on a point. "Longs" were also slightly weaker than of k to In the early morning the market was very firm, with some medium-dated stocks as much as a point above overnight levels. However, prices then slipped. Most medium-dared stocks were unchanged on the day, while "longs" registered losses of a point.

Wall Street

New York, June 6 .- The New stock market aqueezed out a gain today, in an erratic

Need to reactivate share market now vital, GKN chief says

Unless everything possible was ione to reactivate the Stock Market, to uplift share prices to realistic levels, capital investment would come to e halt, Sir Raymond Brookes, chairman of Guest, Keen and Netrlefold, said

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GRE stays cautious but profits should gro

Coofirming the mixed outlook expressed in his farewell annual statement a mouth ago. Lt-Col C. P. Dawnay mid the annual meeting of Gnardian Royal Exchange Assurance yesterday that he did not see the same treed in 1973 continuing in 1974. But overall he expects some growth in overall profit

(up from £20.1m to £32.3m pre-tax) in the current year.

In the United Kingdom, fire-results continue in be satisfac-tory, and motor results are in a break-even position. It would, however, be necessary to seek approval from the Department of Trade for an increase in motor rates before the end of the year. In other sectors, the home acci-

dent and marine accounts nnlikely to produca "very profit " this year, but life; ance should continue to

progress. He also added that the hopes and believes it likely results will improve durin year, and that investmen come will continue to although GRE must expect setback in profits of property, estate and de-ment companies in line with vailing market conditions.

Last year results were a sely affected by legislatic Australia and the heginni 1974 has been m better "very serious" flothroughout eastern Austra

Latest dividends

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Brooke Bond now aims towards £18.5m peak

Giveo a clear run in to the adjustment, the increase was post, the hoard of Brooke Bond 16.8 per cent.
Liehig has revised its profits Operating income was 887m record before tax of £18.5m for the year to June 30. This compares with the interim report which merely said that profits would exceed the £16.6m achieved a year ago. The present forecast is contained in a letter to shareholders concerning the agreed £10.9m hid for Baxters (Butchers).

Like many companies recently, the Brooke Bond hoard is pleased with its overseas investments, which in this case Investments, which in this case are going to account for most of the £1.9m increase forecast in profits. At half time, group profits were ahead from £6.4m to £7.9m, and the board commented that at home margins were lower but higher sales hed held trading profits steady. Oversees profits bad gone ahead, while United Kingdom profits as a whole were up mainly because of lower interest costs.

Woolworth looks

We disposed of eventually. to good year

Gross revenue for 1973-74, E1.38m (E1.09m). Earnings a share, 1.97p net (2.25p gross) and dividend, 2.55p (2.53p). Speaking in New York yesterday, Mr Lester Burcham, chairman of F. W. Woolworth & Co. forecast a "great improvement" in profits performance for the rest of 1974. He gave no specific projectioos, hut said: "On the basis of the best trading the company can obtain of the business conditions that will prevail between now and the end oril between now and the end of January—the end of the fin-ancial year—we are reasonably certain that the full year will be

certain that the full year will be a successful one."

The first quarter performance—when profits fell from \$870m to \$758m—should not be considered a basis for projecting the total year profits. He is also very bullish ahout Woolworth's British subsidiary, and sees no material effect from the limiting of profit margins.

Huntleigh returns

Following the merger of the Hundleigh Investment Company with the privately owned Hymacic Engineering Company, the Hundleigh Group will he returning to the market with effect from Mooday.

On the basis of pro-forma profits for the combined group in 1973 of 5669,000, the price earnings ratio at the pre-suspension

1973 of £669,000, the price earnings ratio at the pre-suspension price of 50p is 4.7, and the dividend yield 5 per c . The shares on this basis have a net asset hacking of 38p. The new group chairman is Sir Joseph Hunt, who started Hymatic as a subsidiary of Chloride.

Borregaard

Good results are reported hy Borreguard, of Norway, with progress continuing and strengthening in the opening four months, and profitability ahove last year's average. Favourable economic conditions, Increased prices and high pro-duction are dominating features of the period. Turnover increased by 46 per cent at 691m knoner, while over 60 per ceot of sales were for export.

Saint-Gobain

Saint - Gobuin-Pont-a Mousson aonounces ner sales for 1973 of 15,741m francs, an overall in-crease of 20.5 per cent After

session. The Dow Jones industrial average closed with a gain of 1.49 points to 830.18. It was off more than six points at its low Advancing issues ournumbered declines by ebout 810 to 550. Volume totalled 13,680,000 shares compared with 16,040,000 shares Silver very strong

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Main points from the Chairman's Statement -

Growth trend has continued - profit before tax again a record at £512,000

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The dollar gained to 4.8850-8900 against the French franc from 4.8725-50 overinght, as the French unit failed to share the generally harder tendency against the United States currency. In Frankfurt, speculation mounted that France may rejoin the European joint float in return for Garman concessions following the France-German summit last weekend.

In Paris, however, sources close to the Elysée Palace commenting on market rumours said they were unaware of any plans by French President Valery Giscard d'Estaing to make a special relevision speech.

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to make a special television speech.

Meanwhile, sources close to the central bank also said they were maware of plans to close the foreign exchange market today, following Buropean rumours that certain centres might be closed.

Sterling rose 83 points against the dollar, to \$2,4000. The pound's effective devaluation rate improved from 17,00 to 16,94 per cent.

The gold price rose \$8.50 an ounce to \$163.00.

Forward Levels

Metal prices soar with tin up £197.50 a tonne Base metals and silver resumed their rise on the London Metal ever, the advance was checked by aggressive profit taking late in the day and substantial lending of cash metal from one quarter in particular. their rise on the London Metal Exchange yesterday and fresh sharp gains were recorded. Trading was unsettled in the afternoon

ing was unsettled in the afternoon by rumours of a possible closure of the gold market roday, following reports of imminent further developments in the recent United States Senate approval of an amendment allowing Americans to buy and sell gold. Also influencing trading were uncertainties over possible adjustments in some major. European currencies.

Tin soared £137.50 for cash metal and £161 for three months in spite of the lack of Penang utvices. Short covering and chart outing easily absorbed sporadic bouts of profit-taking. Later further covering was noted following reports of a steady physical demand. It was not thought that the political developments in Boliviahad any marked affect on the market.

market.

Copper rose £49 for cash wire bars and £49.50 for three months. Overnight United States advices and higher gold and silver prices boosted copper prices with active short covering and stop loss buying coming to e a rather oversold market. Moreover the sizable backwardation prevailing aided the tooc, dealers said, although the feeling in some quarters was that the tighter nearby situation results from delayed shipments from Japan and could prove to be of a temporary nature.

Meanwhile small scale Contin-

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12p on the LME after being up to
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covering was induced by the overnight limit-up conditions in New
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Profit-taking reduced best marks.
Lead advacced £13 for cash
metal and £12.75 for three months,
reflecting the general strength of
other metals.

Commodities: Frost reports from Brazil boost coffee futures

other metals.

Although zinc failed to maintain top marks, gains of £35 for cash metal and £28.50 for three months metal and 128.50 for three months were registered. General short covering was encouraged by the movement in copper. Emphasis also came from a technical oearby situation which widened the backwardation to 141. Small scals profit-taking eased the market in the afternoon. COPPER closed irregular. Afternoon.—Cash wire bars. £1,115-20 a metric ton: three motion. £1,078-00. Selex. 7,450 tots. Cash cultions. £1,078-00. Selex. 7,450 tots. Cash cultions. £1,078-01. Selex. 7,450 tots. Cash selex. £50 tons. Morning.—Cash wire bars. £1,123-30; three mounts. £1,055-00. Selex. £1,123-31; three mounts. £1,035-38. Selex. £1,124,0-31; three mounts. £1,035-38. Selex. £1,130-31; Selex. £1,00 tons. \$11,125-20; Selex. £1,130-31; Selex. £1,00 tons. \$11,125-20; Selex. £1,130-31; Selex. £1,00 tons. £1,00

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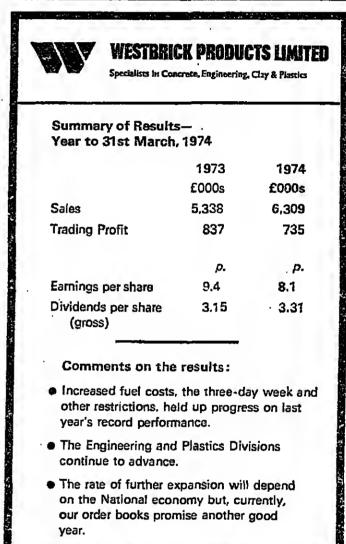
From the Annual Report & Statement of the Chairman, Mr. K. H. Whitaker

- The profit for the year amounted to £1,180,431 after providing for taxation and a transfer to inner reserves. It has not been necessary to make any further provision for depreciation out of inner reserves this year, which, as a result, stand appreciably higher than last year.
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Total Capital and Published Reserves	9,860,110	9,525,287
Total Assets	478,202,653	563,627,975
Profit for Year*	1,180,431	1,126,771
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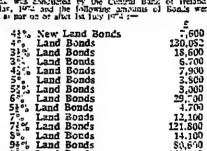
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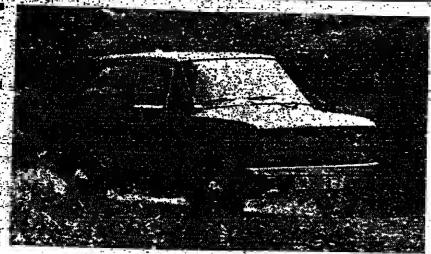
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and Peter Hott-Wilson—a son.
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Friday 7th Iune, Service at St. Gabriel at Church, Plymouth, 12-15 p.m.

DISON.—On Jose 4th, peacefully m hospital Joanna, most dearly loved mother of Penelope-Ann, of 2d Sydney Burkinse, Bath, Funeral at St. Mary's Church, Bathwisk on Tuesday 11th, at 2 p.m. No flowers please. Il desired, donations to D.G.A.A., Vicarase Gate House, London, W.S.

DOUGLAS.—On June 4 1974 Amanda Jane, axed 20 years, of the University of Kent and 58 Overstrand Mansions, S.W. [1]. Tragically in a traffic accident in Canterbury Dearly beloved and only daughter of Colm and Gluand Sister of Thoothy, Angou, Blane and Piers, Private cremation service, Tesday, June 11, at Bartham Crematorium. Enquires to C. W. Lyons, Funeral Directors Canterbury 5:508.

DUFFUS LAMBORN.—On Monday, 3rd June, 1974, at Britcheon, Helcoe Gartrude, in her 49th year, only daughter of the late James Montagne Courts Duffus of Dalchwerbonse, widow of Captain R. S. Lambden, H.M. The Sultin of Museent and Oman's Armed Forese, and mother of Sara Trude and Tessa Mansifield, Cremation private, ENGLEDOW.—On Tuesday, 4th June, ENGLEDOW.—On Tuesday, 4th June, ENGLEDOW.—On Tuesday, 4th June,

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MELLERSH.—On June 4, 1974, Gladys
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PARKER.—On Tune 1st. at North Middleaer, Hospital, Mary Parter, 184d 7] Requern at 11 a.m., on Morday June 10th, at St Ermands R. C. Church, Hertford Road, Lower Ermondon, N.9. Burfal at Edmonton Cernetery, Church Street.

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